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PHILADELPHIA AT HONOLULU.

Admiral Kautz Talks of State of Affairs in Samoa.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The steamer Doric, from the Orient, via Honolulu, brings the following advices to the Associated Press from its Hawaiian correspondent, who writes under date of June 2d:

"HONOLULU, June 2.—The U. S. S. Philadelphia arrived from Samoa yesterday, on her way to Maro Island.

ADMIRAL KAUTZ TALKS.

"All parties have agreed to abide by what the commission decides," said Rear Admiral Kautz this morning, speaking of Samoan affairs. "Whether they will keep their agreement or not remains to be seen. Malietoa Tanu appeared before the commission several days before we left, and Mataafa the day before we left. Three hundred were sent to bring Mataafa, one representing each of the three nations. Lotofe came in his own big war canoe, accompanied by two others, each containing about 200 men.

"The sittings of the commission are not public, though they cannot be said to be secret. Still very little of what goes on before them becomes publicly known. I think things will come out all right.

"The situation of Apia is one of quiet, awaiting the result of the work of the commission.

THE PHILADELPHIA NEEDS SCRAPING.

"My orders from the Navy Department were to remain there as long as I thought it necessary. The Philadelphia is very foul, and has needed to go into the dry dock for a long while. Then we have a large number of men aboard whose term of service has expired. The Bennington is there and the Badger. Matters are quiet, and order prevails. The situation is in the hands of the commission. Under these circumstances I thought it best to start for San Francisco.

"Yes, the reports about our ammunition being defective are true, or perhaps it would be more accurate to say some of it was very old.

"We have the bodies of Lansdale and Monaghan aboard. They were brave fellows.

"My views of the situation have been so fully expressed in my dispatch to the Navy Department that I seem to be redundant. I know I have been roasted in the States. Still I do not think I am unduly sensitive, and when the circumstances are all understood it won't matter a great deal."

BODIES OF HEROIC OFFICERS ON THE WARSHIP.

Shrouded under heavy black tarpaulins and crepe, the bodies of Lieutenant Philip V. Lansdale and Ensign John R. M. Monaghan rest on the bridge of the Philadelphia. They are being taken to the land in whose service and under whose flag they lost their lives.

The bodies of the men from the Philadelphia who lost their lives in Samoa are being buried in the cemetery at Mikiuna, in the plot of ground reserved there for kings and members of the royal family. They are Coxswain James Tucker, Ordinary Seaman Norman S. Kisall and Privates Thomas Holloway and John E. Mudge, United States Marine Corps.

RUSSIAN WARSHIP AT HONOLULU.

His Imperial Russian Majesty's Razboynik arrived in this port on May 27th, forty-one days from Valparaiso. She will be overhauled here, coal and sail for the Asiatic station about June 12. The Razboynik is a bark-rigged vessel and carries seventeen guns and 165 men. She has been in these waters several times before.

The United States transport Sherman arrived on May 30th, seven and a half days from San Francisco. After taking on coal she sailed for Manila yesterday.

WON'T STOP THE FIGHT

Sporting Men Have No Fear of a Police Finish.

The Sixteenth Decisive Battle of the World Tonight.

Fitz and Jeff Waiting For the Fateful Moment.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, June 9.—The confidence of the sporting element, which was shaken by the threat of Chief of Police Devery to interfere and stop the Fitz-Jeffries fight in case hard blows are given, has been fully restored today. The disturbing rumors of police interference and political wire pulling, to use the sporting phrase, "do not cut as much ice" today as they did two days ago. It is stated on good authority that the Brooklyn politicians have brought their influence to bear on the authorities and induced the latter to prevent any interference with the contest.

POLICE INTERFERENCE NOT FEARED.

It has been argued that two prominent New York clubs have been allowed to pull off fights ranging from bantam to heavyweight contests, which have resulted in knockouts or partial disablement of some of the contestants, and as the police authorities looked on without interference in these instances, the Brooklyn contingent claims that police interference with tonight's bout would be an unpardonable discrimination.

Hundreds of sporting men from all over the country have arrived here to witness the battle, and now they feel sure the bout will positively be allowed to go on to a decision.

BETTING IS EVENING UP.

Betting on the event has taken a lively turn. Of course Fitz has the call in today's betting, but judging from the manner in which Jeffries' money is being flashed, the present odds of 2 to 1 on Fitz will be reduced to 100 to 70 or probably 100 to 80 before the men strip tonight.

CONFIDENCE IN BOTH CAMPS.

Each man has a large following and both seem confident. Fitz's followers declare that their man can give away fifty pounds and offset it by quickness and cleverness, backed up by years of experience. On the other hand, the Jeffries people assert that the California boilermaker has improved wonderfully and has learned so much since he was seen here last year that he is bound to wallop the champion.

JEFFRIES IN FINE SHAPE.

JEFFRIES NEVER BEFORE WAS TRAINED TO PERFECTION, THEY CLAIM. Before Jeffries left his training quarters near Asbury Park today he weighed 206 pounds. He had a good night's rest, and said he never felt better in his life.

HIS CHIEF TRAINER, BILLY DELANEY, IS VERY CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS, AS ARE ALSO THE BIG FELLOW'S SPARRING PARTNERS, TOMMY RYAN, JACK JEFFRIES AND JIM DALY.

CALIFORNIAN LEAVES HIS TRAINING QUARTERS.

The Jeffries party passed through Jersey City and proceeded thence to Brooklyn and drove in carriages to Martin Dowling's hotel on the Coney Island boulevard, where the big pugilist will remain until time to enter the ring tonight.

MAY HOLD A CONFERENCE.

IT IS JUST POSSIBLE THAT FITZ AND JEFFRIES, TOGETHER WITH MANAGERS JULIAN AND BRADY, MAY HOLD A CONFERENCE SOME TIME TODAY WITH REFEREE GEORGE SILER TO DISCUSS THE RULES AND ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT, but as these have been plainly stated time and time again, such a conference may not be deemed necessary.

THE CHAMPION IN FINE CONDITION.

FITZ AROSE EARLY, FEELING WONDERFULLY WELL, and enjoyed a good breakfast at his Bath Beach cottage. He took things easily during the forenoon and said that he would remain at home until about 8 o'clock, when he will drive down to the sporting club at Coney Island, which is only a little more than two miles from his residence.

FITZ WILL SURPRISE SOME PEOPLE.

FITZ IS VERY CONFIDENT OF WINNING, and says that those who think that he has gone back or became a "HAS BEEN" will be surprised when the contest has been decided.

The men have been notified to be at the club house at 9 o'clock and the bout will begin at 9:30.

BETTING ON THE BIG FIGHT.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

In the betting upon the fight for the championship Fitzsimmons is still the favorite. He is quoted at 2 to 1, but in some places only 10 to 7 can be obtained on the champion.

Some of the interesting bets are: Billy West of Boston, bet Pony Moore, Charley Mitchell's father-in-law and former backer, $1,500 against $900 on the champion. Ed Callahan from Charleston, W. Va., bet $1,000 to $700 with Frank Felton on Fitzsimmons. Mr. Callahan has $8,500 more to be placed at the same odds. Dick Daugherty of San Francisco made an offer of $1,000 on Fitzsimmons against $650, which was accepted by Frank Burgess, who has $2,500 more to place on Jeffries at 7 to 10. G. C. Rudd of Cleveland bet $650 to $1,000. Charley Carbonell taking the long end. Dr. Simpson bet $550 to $800 with Kid Below. Ike Thompson, the bookmaker, will have $25,000 at the ringside with which to back Fitzsimmons.

SCORES HURT IN A WRECK.

Passenger Car Ditched by Spreading Rails in Missouri.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KANSAS CITY, June 9.—Forty-eight passengers were more or less seriously injured, three perhaps fatally, by the derailment of train No. 4, south-bound of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf Railroad, two miles south of Granview, Missouri, at 8:30 o'clock last night. The injured were brought to this city this morning. The seriously hurt were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, and the others to the Savoy Hotel. The list of the most seriously injured follows:

Mrs. E. B. Chandler, Jaudon, Missouri, internal.

B. C. Duffy, Fort Smith, Arkansas, hip sprained.

Mrs. B. C. Duffy, face cut and child badly bruised on face.

Vernon Bigler, Amsterdam, Missouri, face badly bruised.

Mrs. J. M. Horne, Pittsburg, Kansas, face burned.

P. R. Brown, Cleveland, Missouri, legs injured.

L. V. C. Moore, Kansas City, head hurt.

Mrs. Frank Downe, Kansas City, head bruised.

Mrs. Charles F. Haines, Kansas City, head cut.

Charles F. Haines, arm cut and knee hurt.

W. E. McGraff, Blair, Nebraska, cut on head.

Mrs. W. H. Karden, Kansas City, shoulder hurt.

J. D. Sloan, Arnett, Missouri, bruised about head.

A. J. Gargenson, Kansas City, cut over eye and cheek injured; probably serious.

W. C. Simons, Drexel, shoulder crushed.

G. E. Sage, Merwin, sprained back.

G. I. Kirkwood, Drexel, Missouri, bruised chest, serious, may die.

A. G. Donovan, Kansas City, head and hip hurt.

Miss Burrows, Amsterdam, Missouri, head hurt.

The wrecked train left Kansas City last night at 8 o'clock. Two miles beyond Granview, a small station thirty miles south of Kansas City, the train was derailed by spreading rails, the track having been damaged by recent severe rains. The smoker, which contained most of the injured, and the chair car, immediately following, were turned on their side into a ditch. The Pullman left the track, but remained upright. The engine and combination baggage and mail car remained on the track.

The accident occurred during a heavy downpour of rain. The crew went to work with a will to rescue the passengers. Women and children were dragged from the windows of the chair car and attended to as well as was possible under the circumstances. Before all had been taken out, fire started from the stove in the rear end. The porter of this car earned great praise by his presence of mind in cutting a hole through the roof, quenching the fire and rescuing several women in immediate danger. In the smoker, which was well filled, passengers were compelled to crawl cautiously the full length of the car to the rear door to escape. Exit through the broken windows was dangerous, the darkness making it impossible to see a foot ahead.

The scene of the wreck was in the woods, and there was no house near to which the injured could be taken for the immediate care of the injured, fires were built along-side the tracks.

As soon as possible news of the wreck was sent to Green Granview, and a relief train was sent from Kansas City. The train arrived at 2 A. M., and took back to Kansas City all the injured.

Engineer Brown, seen after the wreck, said that he was running under slow orders, because of the fact that rains had damaged the road bed. At the time, he said, he was proceeding slowly around a sharp curve on an embankment eight feet high. The heavy engine, baggage and mail car, which passed the curve in safety, loosened the rails and caused the rear cars to leave the track. The track was cleared by noon today and trains were running as usual.

PLACERS ARE A HUGE FRAUD.

San Roque Prospectors Lucky to Make Day's Wages.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN DIEGO, June 9.—The steamer St. Denis arrived this morning from the San Roque gold placers, having among her passengers thirteen men who left for the placers, but only seven of these were actually on the ground. E. Ybarra is practically in control of the mines and is naturally averse to an influx of Americans, as he buys all the dust of the Mexicans at work at a good profit.

The consensus of opinion of practical miners who saw the placers is that experienced, hard-working miners will probably make day's wages, but no bonanzas may be expected.

Senor Romero, a prominent merchant of Ensenada, has a letter from Ybarra, his personal friend, who stated the above facts in a letter to him also that the placers were about twenty-four miles long and only Mexican rockers will work satisfactorily.

All Mexicans who came on the steamer will return. Romero says he has purchased six ounces of gold from these placers and the California Development Company has received nine pounds more of the metal.

C. L. Ferris, of this city, who returned on the steamer, says his party of four worked two and a half days on the ground and took out only $5.50 in gold, and that the placers have been prospected for miles in all directions. It is only about a foot to bedrock. He thinks the placers are mostly worked out. Passengers are still leaving here for the mines.

ROYALIST HEADS MAY BE CRACKED.

Precautions Against Another Attack on Loubet.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, June 9.—At a Cabinet meeting held this morning, the Premier, M. Dupuy, and the Minister of War, M. Krantz, announced that General Zurlinden, the Military Governor of Paris and the Prefect of Police, M. Blanc, has adopted rigorous measures to preserve order at Longchamps on Sunday next, upon the occasion of President Loubet's visit to that place in order to witness the race for the Grand Prix de Paris.

MAZET COMMITTEE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—District Attorney Gardiner was not present today when the Assembly committee of investigation into municipal practices resumed its session. Mr. Moss read a statement that of 7,361 complaints presented to the Grand Jury, 2,871 were dismissed by the body and that of the indictments returned 2,001 were dismissed with the consent or on the motion of the District Attorney.

Secretary L. O. Phillips of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, who formerly conducted a school for the preparation of candidates for office, under the city civil service rules, swore on the stand that while conducting this school he received no advance information as to the questions to be asked candidates.

L. A. W. WINS IN CHICAGO

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 8.—By a vote of 28 to 1 the Associated Cycling Clubs of Cook county, in which are represented fifty cycling organizations, of Chicago, decided to run all its races under sanction of the L. A. W., the National Cycling Association getting the one vote. This practically decides the control of racing in Chicago.

KIDNAPERS' TRIALS SET.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The trial of George Barrow for kidnaping Marion Clark was set peremptorily today for Wednesday next before Justice Putzman in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court. The trials of Adelie Barrow and Carrie Jones will follow.

How Would You Like to Have Been a Guest?

LONDON, June 9.—The Princess of Wales, in honor of her majesty, held a drawing-room at Buckingham Palace today.

Among those present were the Duke and Duchess of York, the Grand Duke Michael of Russia, and other royalties. The function was especially interesting from the fact that it marked the first appearance of the Princess of Wales this year at a State ceremony. The weather was brilliant and crowds watched the arrivals.

Mrs. Choate, wife of the United States Embassador, presented Miss Sumner, Mrs. Frances Barlow and the Misses Gertrude Minturn, Taylor, Apperson and Blight, all of New York.

GROOM MUST GO TO JAIL FOR AWHILE.

An Angry Father on the Trail of His Son-in-Law.

Eloped With the Daughter and Married the Girl.

An irate father appeared at the District Attorney's office this morning with his daughter to swear out a complaint against Robert Ellenbery on the charge of perjury.

It appears that Ellenberg eloped with Miss Mabel Sill about four weeks ago. The young couple had been keeping company for some time, but Mr. Sill had no idea that there were any serious intentions on either side. The young man was but 18 years of age and the girl still younger.

When the father learned the other day that his daughter had been married almost a month he was at first dumbfounded then angry that he should have been deceived in the matter.

The marriage license bore the stamp of San Francisco. The age of the young man was given as 21 years.

The father now intends to punish his son-in-law by proceeding against him for perjury. He was advised that the complaint must be issued in San Francisco since the license had been obtained there. The father and daughter have gone to San Francisco to swear out a complaint against young Ellenberg.

T. G. PHELPS IS DYING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—Hon. Timothy Guy Phelps, chairman of the Board of Regents of the University of California, is believed to be dying at his country home, San Carlos, from the effects of injuries received Sunday, May 27th, when he was RUN DOWN BY TWO CYCLISTS MOUNTED ON A TANDEM.

He has been ailing ever since and last night sank into a comatose condition, and all efforts to arouse him so far have proved unavailing.

He has been growing steadily weaker for three days and unless a radical change for the better takes place within a short time he cannot recover.

RATES GO DOWN TEN PER CENT.

Railroad Commissioners Make New Deal.

Surprise at Meeting of the Board Today.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

San Francisco, June 9.—The Railroad Commissioners held a meeting this afternoon and reduced rates 10 per cent all along the line.

The action of the Commissioners will be of interest to every farmer in this State. It will help business in the county. A fight for a reduction has been waging for a long time.

STRIKE MAY BE SETTLED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DENVER, June 9.—The union recently organized by employes of the smelters has been recognized by the American Smelting and Refining Company, and the prospects for a peaceable settlement of the questions arising under the new eight-hour law have greatly improved.

A conference has been held between a committee from the union and James B. Grant, chairman of the Advisory Board of the company. The committee announced that the employes would demand an eight-hour day, and the same wages for eight hours as they have been receiving for ten to twelve hours.

Mr. Grant replied that the company would pay the scale of wages of 1893, an increase of ten per cent, and that the men would be paid by the hour and would have the option of working more than eight hours. The committee agreed to submit the company's proposition to the union. It is understood that if no amicable adjustment can be made, the question will be taken before the State Board of Arbitration.

"By this means," said Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, who has been organizing the smelter employes, "I thing the dangers of a strike are done away with. I believe the men will have no difficulty in securing terms from the smelters trat will give them just as much for eight hours as they have been getting for ten or twelve."

Peace Disturber.

Louis Pfund was arrested by Deputy Constable Quinlan last evening on a charge of disturbing the peace. He gives $10 cash bail.

BERESFORD SCORES THE GOVERNMENT.

His Scheme to Maintain China's Integrity.

Where the U. S. Figures in the Proposed Deal.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 9.—While the House of Commons was in Committee of Supply on the Foreign Office vote today, Rear Admiral Charles Beresford, Conservative member for York City, delivered a scathing criticism of the government's policy of "drifting" in China, during which he said the government had deceived the people and allowed the open door policy to be finally killed by permitting Russia to interfere in a purely commercial enterprise like the Shanghai Kwang case. The Admiral then proposed that the four countries most interested—the United States, Great Britain, Japan and Germany—go to China and offer to take over and organize her army, adding that if Great Britain took the lead he was sure the United States would follow and that he also had a distinct intimation that Japan would go in such a manner.

The Parliamentary secretary, the Hon. William St. John Broderick, replied, pointing out the difficulties in meeting Lord Beresford's proposal that Great Britain take control of the government of China, adding that he thought his lordship was over sanguine in thinking that the United States would follow the lead of Great Britain.

NO FEARS FOR THE NEWARK

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The Navy Department is looking for news of the U. S. S. Newark, which sailed from Montevideo, May 17th, bound for Valparaiso, Chile, and is now some days overdue. The distance by way of the Straits of Magellan, the route prescribed for the ship, is a little less than 3,000 miles.

Secretary Long positively declared that he had no doubt of the safety of the ship, though it was possible that she had been delayed through some unlooked for conditions.

At the Navigation Bureau, Lieutenant Ward called attention to the fact that the winter season was just beginning in the Southern Hemisphere, bringing heavy fogs and bad weather.

The ship was bound from Hampton Roads for the Pacific Station, though it was generally understood that when she will arrive at Valparaiso or some other ports on the western coast of South America she was to get orders to proceed to Apia. It is probable, however, that the occasion for her presence at Apia has now disappeared, and the orders will not go forward.

WILL DISCUSS DOW'S PLANS.

A Committee Meeting Will Soon Be Held.

City Engineer Clement was to have called a meeting of the Committee of the Whole of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners today, but deferred the matter until tomorrow, because of the inability of Mayor Snow to be present.

The Mayor has been striving to get to San Francisco for several days to attend to some public business, but he has been too busy here to be able to spare the time to cross the bay.

Mr. Clement is of the opinion that there will not be much time spent at the meeting of the Committee of the Whole discussing the Police and Fire Department changes which have been referred to it.

Jack Rohan, extraman and engine foreman, whose positions on the Fire Department City Attorney Dow wishes to be declared vacant, was around the City Hall today trying to see some members of the Police Commission. He seems to think that he will not be disturbed in the positions which he now occupies.

"No charges," said he, "can be sustained against me. If I am removed, it will be for some other reason than cause. I do not drink and I attend to business. I have been at every fire that has taken place since I have been in the department. I don't think there is a man in the force who has a better record."

DREYFUS' ENEMY IS FREE.

PARIS, June 9.—Lieutenant-Colonel Piquart has been provisionally released from custody.

When it became known that the order for the release of Piquart had been issued, M. Gasc, Mayor of Ville d' Avray, and the prisoner's brother-in-law, and M. Hild, Maitre La Boris' secretary, proceeded to the prison of La Santa and met Piquart, who was released about 3 o'clock, and proceeded to the residence of M. Gasc.

Lieutenant Piquart was imprisoned in July last, charged with communicating confidential documents, and he has since been accused of fabricating a document intended to compromise Mayor Count Esterhazy.

PRIZE WINNERS AT BUFFALO

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 9.—Shooting in the State tournament was resumed today. Weather cloudy and threatening. The events of the day were the Buffalo Audubon Club event at fifty targets, entrance $5, a handicap open to all, and the New York State event, at five birds, entrance $20. All of the best teams of the State are entered.

The general average of prizes has not been figured yet, but the New York City challenge cup and the gold watch offered by the Audubon Club go to F. D. Kelsey, who broke 460 out of 500 targets. The second prize was won by McMurchy, who broke 457 out of 500.

Plague in Egypt.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, June 9.—There have been twenty-one cases of the plague here and seven deaths from that disease. Two new cases have been just reported.

NEW CANAL COMMISSION.

Names of Men Who Will Map Out the Route.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The President today appointed the following commission to determine the most feasible and practicable route for an access to the Isthmus of Panama:

Rear Admiral John G. Walker, U. S. N.; Samuel Pasco of Florida, Alfred Noble of Illinois, George S. Morrison, C. E., of New York; Colonel Peter C. Haines, U. S. A.; Professor William H. Burker of Connecticut, Lieutenant Colonel Oswald Ernest, U. S. A.; Lewis B. Haupt, C. E., of Pennsylvania; Professor Emery P. Johnson of Pennsylvania.

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ASSESSMENTS WILL ALL BE READJUSTED.

The report that the city assessment would fall about $5,000,000 short of last year has caused considerable comment. It was feared that it would be impossible to run the city government on the proposed tax levy.

Assessor Dalton says that there is no cause for alarm because there will be no such reduction as reported.

"It is true," he said, "that I am readjusting assessments in the older portions of the city. This includes Broadway from Eleventh street down to the water front, Washington street from Eighth to the water front and Franklin from Fourteenth to the water front.

"The readjustment of the assessments has not been completed and it is impossible to tell exactly what effect it will have. The assessments in the older part of the city are being lowered some, but I look to see this offset by the new improvements. I think the assessments on the whole will be about the same as last year. They may be a little lower."

BULLETINS OF THE FIGHT.

THE TRIBUNE will receive bulletins this evening of the Fitzsimmons-Jeffries fight.

Everybody is welcome to these bulletins.

The bulletins will come by Associated Press by direct wire to THE TRIBUNE office.

The service will be prompt and the news will come direct from the ringside.

GREAT YEAR FOR SOLANO.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SUISUN, Cal., June 9.—The rains proved very beneficial to late sown grain in Solano county, and the damage to hay is not nearly so great as at first anticipated. It is estimated that the crop will yield at least two sacks of grain to the acre in the Montezuma district. In addition to the large crops of grain and hay the sugar beet crop will be very large.

Large quantities of fruit have been sold in the Suisun valley during the last week. Pears have realized $5 per ton, and as high as $50 per ton has been offered for apricots. Peaches, prunes and plums will also realize remunerative prices, and orchardists consider that this will be the most profitable season for many years.

ALFORD'S FATE IN THE JURY'S HANDS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, June 9.—The closing argument in the Alford trial was made by ex-Senator White today, and the case will probably be given to the jury late in the afternoon. The case has been a battle of legal giants, and there is much speculation here as to the result of the jury's deliberations.

LATE NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

A decree of final distribution has been handed down in the estate of Isaac Campbell, deceased.

J. Henry Glas, J. B. Lankree and Edward Everett have been appointed to appraise the estate of Isabella Von Schmidt, deceased.

Max Marcuse has filed answer to the suit of Mrs. Cornelia B. Conklin to quiet title to some real estate. He denies that plaintiff has held the property for a long time and asks that she take nothing by the action. Marcuse claims the property as assignee of H. L. Conklin, an insolvent.

The first account of W. H. Knight of the estate of Salome Anderson, deceased, has been approved.

Joseph Lavigne has been granted letters of administration on the estate of Mary Lavigne, deceased.

Ellen E. Woodsam has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of George E. and Alice M. Woodsam, minors.

James W. McClure has been appointed guardian of the persons and estates of Donald and Richard A. McClure, minors.

Mark Noon and Thomas M. Carroll have been discharged as administrators on the estate of Charles H. Curtis, deceased.

Clarence Crowell, George T. Brosa and Charles H. Spear have been appointed appraisers on the estate of Sarah A. Harris, deceased.

Mrs. Ellen Clark has applied for a homestead to be vested in her from the estate of her deceased husband, Peter Clark.

A FARMER FALLS FROM HAYSTACK.

John Hart, a farmer near Piedmont, fell from a haystack yesterday a distance of about twenty feet. His fork slipped as he was about to pitch some hay. His back was badly sprained by the fall. His injuries were treated at the Receiving Hospital.

GEORGE A. MORSE SENT TO AGNEWS.

George A. Morse of Alameda was committed to Agnews Insane Asylum this morning by Judge Ogden. His examination was conducted by Drs. Tisdale and Buteau. The patient is 37 years of age. He has been suffering from illness for some time.

Table Glass Combination.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 9.—A meeting of glass tableware manufacturers is now in session in this city considering a proposition to form a combination.

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A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

MEDICOS END THEIR SESSION.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

COLUMBUS, O., June 9.—The final session of the American Medical Association was held today, and the members are already leaving in large numbers for their homes.

The United States Government was asked by resolution to pay the expenses of the delegates to the International Medical Congress at Brussels.

The new executive committee was announced as follows: Chairman, Dr. W. S. Forbant; vice-chairman, Dr. W. J. Mayo, Rochester; Minnesota; executive council, Dr. J. H. Musser, Philadelphia; Dr. H. S. Tuley, Louisville.

[illegible] March was announced the following appointments of delegates: British Medical Association at Portsmouth, England—Dr. George L. Cole and P. G. Hubbard, Los Angeles; Dr. Osborne, St. Helena.

International Congress at Brussels—Drs. Frederick Peterson and C. G. Hudson, Massachusetts; S. R. Campbell, Vermont; A. P. Clark and H. O. Marcy, Massachusetts; J. Cardlen Cooper, Pennsylvania; G. H. Montgomery, Illinois; Theodore H. Wiggin, New York; A. L. Jones and Dr. Lowery, Nebraska; J. T. Jenkins, Michigan, and W. R. Coleman, Ohio.

TOMORROW JEFF WILL BE CHIEF.

The following was received today:

Coney Island, June 9, 1899.

S. Clair Hodgkins, Oakland, Cal.
—Accept congratulations. Tomorrow Jeff will be Chief.

BILLY DEHANEY.

INQUEST HELD ON YOUNG TAYLOR'S BODY.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JOSE, June 9.—The Coroner held an inquest over the body of young Eli Taylor this morning, who was killed by cars on the Southern Pacific track yesterday afternoon. The verdict held the death was due to accident, but the jury recommends that the railroad company keep flagmen at all crossings in the city and suburbs, particularly where this accident occurred.

The boy was only 13 years of age. His parents reside at 10 Fourteenth street, Oakland, and the remains were shipped there this afternoon.

BOARDMAN ESTATE CONTEST SETTLED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa, June 9.—An agreement has just been reached for the dismissal of all suits against the estate of the late millionaire Boardman. The suits resulted from a contest over the will, and involved a valuable division of the property. The contingent owner of the land has been found, and the matter placed in the hands of C. H. Conover, who married Boardman's daughter, for adjustment. Mrs. Boardman receives about $200,000 and relinquishes dower rights in all real estate.

BIG STRIKE OF IRON WORKERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—At Union Labor headquarters today it was said that by night all of the architectural iron workers and shopmen in St. Louis will be on a strike. The men of ten shops are already out, and these employed in the Kerr works in iron works and the Excelsior wire rope works will follow tonight. Eight hours a day and the same wages for nine o'clock are demanded. The men, it is said, have been working from ten to thirteen hours a day, and they want a change. They are backed by the Federation of Labor in their demand.

NO HOPE FOR RICHARD BLAND.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LEBANON, Mo., June 9.—Hon. R. P. Bland was still alive at 9 A. M., with no perceptible change in his condition. Judge [illegible] Bland, his brother, arrived this morning. He has congestion of the brain. There is no hope for his recovery.

WHERE FLOWERS CAN BE BOUGHT.

Keller, Lewis & Company have reopened their nursery at 477 Seventh street, between Washington and Broadway.

They are well known in the city, having formerly been in a first-class business here. They intend to continue as a first class establishment carrying a large and varied stock of plants, cut flowers, ferns and all sorts of floral designs. Wedding decorations of all kinds will be furnished. Former patrons will meet with the same satisfaction as before. The low rates made it possible for them to offer their goods at very reasonable prices which promises to secure the custom of all lovers of flowers.

BURGLARS ENTER GROCERY STORES.

The stores of Jenne & King, 551 East Fourteenth, and Guido & Company, 806 East Fourteenth street, both grocers, were entered by burglars last night. Nothing was taken.

Asks for Letters

Martha A. Baker has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Hannah Simonds, deceased. The estate consists of real estate in this city valued at $2,000.

Woodmen to Meet in St. Paul

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 9.—The Head Camp of the Woodmen of America selected St. Paul as the place of meeting in 1901.

American Jockey Wins.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, June 9.—At the Lewes spring meeting today the spring handicap, 300 sovereigns, was won by Farm, ridden by L. R. D. the American jockey. The betting was 8 to 1 against Reff's mount.

SHEET DEAL DID NOT PAY.

Philip Kolb of Pleasanton has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Pierre Loustalor of Berkeley on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

According to Kolb's story Loustalor, who is a butcher, agreed to pay Kolb one-third of the profits if he would advise him of a good bargain in sheep. Kolb found an owner who was willing to sell, but who wanted a cash deposit. Loustalor being short of ready cash, Kolb put up the deposit. The former then drove the sheep away.

Shortly afterward a check for $1,292 arrived. Kolb deposited it in the Pleasanton Bank. After he had drawn on personal check on the bank, Kolb was informed that it was worthless.

HAVE YOUR NOTES BURNED.

George W. Campbell has filed an answer to the suit of E. W. Banister in which he denies that he owes the plaintiff $749. He also charged Banister with fraud and acting in bad faith.

About two years ago in St. Louis, Campbell and Banister had some business transactions in which he executed three notes to the latter. According to Campbell's statement these notes were paid and Banister agreed to cancel them. Instead of doing so, it is alleged he kept them.

When Campbell was about leaving St. Louis, August 10, 1897, to come to California, Banister brought an action before an alleged Justice of the Peace. An alleged judgment was secured and now Banister is suing in the Alameda courts for payment.

Campbell denies that the suit was brought before a Justice of the Peace or any Justice and that the Justice named in the complaint was never in existence. He claims that Banister refused repeatedly to deliver the notes, after he had agreed to do so.

WOMAN STABS A WITNESS.

The Thalia, on the county road, which has become notorious as a den of vice and crime, yesterday produced another case. As a result Mamie Barracks, who has charge of the disreputable place is under arrest on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

The examination of Coney Randlett on a charge of stealing a horse from J. Mullen was to have been begun in the morning. Randlett has been tending bar for the Barracks woman.

No witnesses appeared in the morning and Judge Lanie continued the case until the afternoon.

Presently Mullen appeared in the court. He was bleeding profusely from two wounds on his cheek. He stated that Mamie Barracks had stabbed him with a knife. It was because Mullen charged Randlett with grand larceny that the woman attacked him. Mullen swore out a warrant for the arrest.

SOME AID FOR ALDEN PEOPLE.

Chief Engineer Ball of the fire department and Fire and Police Commissioner Clement made another visit of inspection today to the annexed district to determine where public hydrants ought to be placed in order to afford the people of that section protection against fire. They have not, as yet, decided how many hydrants will be required and will not be able to make a report on the subject for some days.

THE ADMINISTRATOR WAS NOT SQUARE.

W. H. Knight has been authorized to enter into a contract with an attorney to bring action to recover certain funds alleged to have been embezzled by Frederick Olsen while acting as administrator on the estate of Martin Olsen, deceased.

It is alleged in Mr. Knight's petition that in making his final statement the administrator concealed and converted to his own use a portion of the estate.

Olsen has since gone to Oregon. To recover any money from him it will be necessary to file suit in the United States courts. No money of the estate being in Mr. Knight's hands, he asks permission to retain an attorney and give him half of the money recovered. Mr. Knight acts on behalf of the estate of Sarah W. Ollila, deceased.

MOLINEUX REARRESTED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Robert B. Molineux was today released on $5,000 bail. He was immediately rearrested on a warrant charging him with the murder of Katherine J. Adams.

TO TALK ABOUT PURE FOOD.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Health this evening, at which, among other things, there will be discussed a circular which is to be sent to merchants and manufacturers in this city requesting them to co-operate with the Board, through its chemical laboratory, in endeavoring to secure pure food products for home consumption. The circular will be presented by Dr. Cunningham.

Flags at Half Mast

Mayor Snow has ordered the flags on city buildings placed at half mast tomorrow in honor of the memory of the late James de Fremery. The latter was a City Councilman in 1863-64.

Returned From Yosemite.

Miss Ethel and Mary Olney have returned from a trip to the Yosemite Valley.

THE LATEST YARN.

A Pittsburg drummer tells this new yarn: "I always carry a bottle of Kemp's Balsam in my grip. I take cold easily and a few doses of the balsam always makes me a well man. Everywhere I go I speak a good word for Kemp. I take hold of my customers—I take old men and young men, and tell them confidentially what I would do when I take cold. At druggists, 25c and 50c.

BRITISH PLAN WILL NOW BE PASSED UPON

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

THE HAGUE, June 9.—The Peace Conference entered today upon its most important stage, when the drafting committee of the Third Section took up arbitration. According to a foreign delegate, the American scheme does not seem to have obtained the support of many of the delegates. The Americans, it is added, have realized this, and have virtually abandoned the idea of pressing its adoption, and therefore it may be considered virtually abandoned, or at most, it will only furnish material for a few amendments which will be submitted during the debate.

The Russian project is still kept absolutely secret. M. De Staal, head of the Russian delegation and president of the conference, has voluntarily withdrawn all claims to priority in favor of the British scheme. The Russian scheme will not be pressed, and the other part will be incorporated with the British proposal in a definite scheme.

The proposal of Sir Julian Pauncefote, head of the British delegation has the advantage of not saddling the powers with the expenses of a permanent sitting tribunal, especially as the latter would have nothing to do during the greater part of the year, and the adoption of this scheme, with modifications, is considered certain.

An appendix relating to organization in the Russian scheme of an arbitration tribunal as cabled to the Associated Press, June 7th, proposes that the conference appoint five powers, which, when a request for arbitration is made, will each name a judge, who will form the tribunal.

PLANNING FOR MORE TROOPS.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The Cabinet, in connection with the possible necessity of enlisting a force of volunteers, today discussed a plan for the enlistment of several SKELETON REGIMENTS IN MANILA FROM AMONG THE VOLUNTEERS WHO DESIRE TO REMAIN IN THE SERVICE, and the subsequent filling out of these regiments with recruits enlisted in this country.

THE CABINET'S PLANS.

General Otis, according to the plan, will be given the authority to select the officers of these regiments from the volunteer officers who are to be mustered out. The plan which commends itself to the favor of members of the Cabinet generally would form a nucleus of veteran officers and men, seasoned to the climate and familiar with the work to be done. SUCH A FORCE, LEAVENED WITH VETERANS, DOUBTLESS WOULD BE IMMEASURABLY SUPERIOR TO A FORCE OF RAW RECRUITS, UNDISCIPLINED AND UNACCLIMATED.

NO ACTION YET TAKEN.

The plan was only discussed in connection with future contingencies, and did not reach the stage of action.

The President announced to the Cabinet the names of the members of the Nicaragua Canal Commission, and there was unanimous concurrence in the nominations.

STRENGTH OF THE ARMY MAY BE INCREASED.

The Attorney-General announced his opinion that the army reorganization bill, fixing THE MAXIMUM STRENGTH OF THE ARMY AT 65,000, did not include the enlisted force of the hospital corps, about 2,600 men, so that the enlisted force can be increased by that number.

STANDARD OIL METHODS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Ex-Statesman Theodore F. Davis of Ohio was the first witness before the Industrial Commission today. He is both a producer and refiner of petroleum, located at Marietta, and his testimony dealt with the operations of the Standard Oil Trust.

He complained of the discriminations of the railroad companies, saying that the managers of some of the roads were interested in rival companies, which were so favored that his company was compelled to suspend business. This discrimination was also practiced by the pipe lines against producers not in the combine. Outsiders were also unable to secure fair rates from railroads, witness averred, forcing the conclusion that the railroad companies were concerned for the success of the pipe lines.

OUR SPECIALS

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10 pounds Bayo Beans	25c
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10 pound sack White or Yellow Corn Meal	20c
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SWEETEST! CLEANEST! STRONGEST! Teas AND Coffee

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GUARANTEED TO PLEASE.

SHE PLEADS TO SAVE A BRUTAL MAN.

Mrs. Lizzie Weidinger of Berkeley applied at the District Attorney's office today to secure the release of her brutal husband who was given six months in the County Jail by Justice Edgar yesterday.

"I want to secure the release of my husband," she said, "because I am not able to support the six small children. Up to this time he was good to us except when he was drinking. He always provided for the support of the children. Now he is in jail for six months. It is a long time. I thought when I prosecuted him that he would get about ten days. I do not know what I will do for the support of the little ones while their father is in jail.

GARRETT ON THE WARPATH.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HILLSBORO, N. M., June 9.—The greatest tension yet reached in the Fountain murder trial occurred today, when the prosecution forced defendant Lee to tell who repeated Garrett's alleged threat of the life of witness.

Attorney Full stated that lives were placed in jeopardy by the admission of the testimony. GARRETT HAD SAID HE WOULD WHIP THE MAN WHO TESTIFIED SO ON THE STAND. Other methods of protection would have to be taken if they were not shielded by the court.

The court said they must protect themselves. Witness said Ed Ellis, a barber, repeated the alleged threat. Ellis is at Las Cruces and Garrett is here.

The cross-examination of Lee brought out a few things to show why he resisted arrest. W. W. Cox, former friend of Llewellyn, but now friendly to Lee, had said JAKE RYAN HAD BEEN PAID TO KILL BOTH MEN AND HE (COX) FOUND HIM LYING IN WAIT. He said the money paid Ryan was in New York exchange, made by Llewellyn. Paul stated that he could not find the letters, but could produce the check and bring Cox here to testify.

The defense also had J. E. Wharton, ex-District Attorney of Lincoln county, and others to show that Fountain had not prosecuted Lee, which point the prosecution claimed as the reason of the murder.

A MYSTERIOUS CUTTING AFFAIR.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LOS ANGELES, June 9.—A middle aged man boarded a free car on the Traction Company's line last night, with a severe wound in his throat. The conductor stopped the car and went after a policeman, but the fellow was gone when the policeman arrived. Later he was captured by the police and taken to the Receiving Hospital, where a deep gash in his throat was tended to. Today he is resting easily, and it is found the wound is not fatal, though he lost a large quantity of blood. He says his name is James R. Barber and his home is in San Francisco, but refuses to say anything more.

MUST ANSWER FOR FORGERY.

Detective Holland has sworn to a complaint charging George E. Manes with forgery.

Manes is the man who sought to pass a check at the Famous Store on Broadway, which he alleged had been made by Steinbeck the butcher.

BURGLAR AT THE DEWEY THEATER.

The Dewey Opera House was robbed last evening. The burglar broke a glass window and ransacked the place. There was no money to be found.

CLEMENT WANTS WEEDS REMOVED.

At the next meeting of the Board of Public Works Commissioner Clement will bring up the matter of disposing of the weeds which he claims may be found on public property, generally on school lots and in the gutters surrounding schools and trenching on the sidewalks. These weeds are especially noxious near the High School.

MURDEROUS JAP GETS OFF EASY.

H. Makamama, the Japanese who recently tried to shoot at some of his fellow workmen in the Pleasanton hop fields, pleaded guilty this morning to assault. Judge Hall gave him four months in the County Jail.

Funeral of Frank Morrell.

The funeral of Frank Morrell, who was accidentally killed in Contra Costa county yesterday, will take place from the Presbyterian Church in Temescal Sunday next at 12:30 o'clock P. M. Rev. Mr. Curry will officiate.

Cricket in England.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 9.—The Cambridge University men in the cricket match with the Australian team were all out today for 403 runs in their first innings.

A Small Fire.

There was a small fire yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of W. F. Lazudder, 718 Wood street. The blaze was extinguished by a chemical engine. The loss was nominal.

Railway Mail Clerk.

Fred J. Svenson of this city has been appointed a railway mail clerk.

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Incorporated according to the laws of the State of California, November 10, 1890.
Interest paid on deposits.
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C. E. PALMER.....Vice President
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LET US ABOLISH THE NESTS FOR CRIME AND VICE.

By THE EDITOR.

Disreputable places must be closed.

That is the order that has gone forth for Alameda county.

It is greatly to the credit of the Board of Supervisors that this sentiment has been officially voiced.

The Thalia, a roadside resort on the San Leandro road, is a case in point. The character of that resort is undergoing investigation at the hands of the Supervisors and at the instance of Supervisor Church.

A citizen merely had to casually mention his opinion as to the questionable character of that place to catch the attention of the Supervisors and to have them formulate the general principle that all places of alleged evil notoriety, and all shelters for deeds of violence, must be investigated, and, if the results warrant it, be closed.

That is the right principle.

Close the disorderly and lawless places of public resort. On this platform citizens of all shades of opinion, from the most radical to the most tolerant and latitudinarian, can stand for the repute of the county and for the common good.

If the Thalia be really a source of evil deeds and violent disorders complained of, it cannot too soon be abolished. Such should be the fate of every establishment of that character. Such places are the source of endless trouble to good citizens, to the police, and of expense and disgrace to the county.

The county stands on this point with Supervisor Church and his vigorous associates.

Abolish the dens of prey.

CHANGES IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF BERKELEY.

By S. D. WATERMAN, SUPT. OF SCHOOLS OF BERKELEY.

Only indirectly am I qualified to speak at present about the condition of the Berkeley schools. As principal of the High school for the past nine years I have taken a deep interest in the work done in all of the grades. There has been excellent work done in many of the lines by the retiring Superintendent during the past two years.

My policy will be not to undo any of this good work, but to carry it on upon the same lines with as few changes as possible. Some minor changes, however, will be found necessary in the courses of study in order to reduce the amount of home work. These changes will be of such a character as to strengthen the course and not to weaken it.

The subject of the establishment of a thorough business course is in the hands of a committee and will be reported at the next meeting of the Board of Education. The introduction of the manual training course is also under contemplation as soon as proper rooms can be secured and the financial condition of the Board will allow.

Until the last two years the School Department has been hampered by lack of sufficient accommodations, and only during the last year has the High school had rooms enough for the handling of its classes.

The fact that Berkeley is the seat of the State's University naturally directs the attention of all of its thinking citizens, and especially of all its educators, to the importance of maintaining the highest attainable standard of efficiency in all grades of its schools.

HOW WE WILL CELEBRATE.

At a meeting of the committee of the Board of Trade and members of the City Council last evening it was decided that Oakland should celebrate the Fourth in a novel manner this year.

The celebration will consist of flag raising. A pole 180 feet high and a flag of proportionate size are to be provided for the occasion by popular subscription. There will be appropriate exercises held at the unfurling of the flag. Louis Schaffer was appointed to arrange for a band for the morning exercises and R. F. Jackson was delegated to procure an orator. Craigie Sharp is to arrange a program which will possibly include a poem by Joaquin Miller.

It is also proposed to have a patriotic concert with a grand illumination of the flag pole in the evening. In connection with this concert it is proposed to have a quantity of fireworks set off.

The members of the committee present were: J. E. Johnston, G. H. Blank, Craigie Sharp, R. F. Jackson and Louis Schaffer. Messrs. Mott, Stetson and Britton were absent. A. H. Breed was elected chairman and Craigie Sharp secretary of the committee.

FLOODS IN KANSAS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WICHITA, Kas., June 9.—There is 150 feet of track on the Santa Fe washed out north of this city, and the train is stalled. Five thousand acres of low lands are under water. The Arkansas river is the highest since 1877, and is still rising, and a flood is predicted within twenty-four hours.

HARRY F GORDON GOES TO BOSTON.

Harry F. Gordon has gone to Boston, where he will remain for several weeks at the Victoria.

To Protect the Farmers

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

COPENHAGEN, June 9.—The Minister of Finance today informed a deputation of agriculturists that he intended to appoint a commission to consider the imposition of a protectionist duty upon agricultural products.

New Railroad Organized

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MENOMINEE, Mich., June 9.—The Menominee and St. Paul Railway Company was organized today with a capital stock of $2,000,000. It will build a road from this city to St. Paul, a distance of 300 miles.

Daly's Remains.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PARIS, June 9.—Mrs. Daly, the widow of Augustin Daly, who died suddenly here Wednesday, left the city for London yesterday evening. Miss Ada Rehan and the Hon. Mrs. Eric Barrington, with the remains of Mr. Daly, left this morning.

Sunday Schools.

The regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Alameda County Sunday School Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. building, Twelfth and Clay streets, Oakland, on Monday, June 12th, at 8 o'clock.

Death of Manly Bird.

Manly D. Bird, a young man of this city, prominent in the Boys' Brigade movement, died yesterday afternoon from hemorrhage.

On Sick List

H. C. Wells, a patrol wagon driver, has been compelled to lay off for a day or two on account of sickness. His son is filling his place.

ROASTED BY JUDGE QUINN.

William A. Langley, who beat his sister at her home on Ninth street, in West Oakland, some days ago, was treated to a well-done roast in the Police Court this morning by Judge Quinn, who is occupying the bench during the absence of Judge Smith.

"You ought to be ashamed of yourself," said the Judge. "What right have you to beat your sister and treat your mother as if she were a savage? For both of these you ought to have respect and love, and if you cannot have those feelings for them naturally it will be the duty of the Court to force them upon you or to punish you."

Sentence will be passed August 7th.

IMPERSONATED AN OFFICER

L. Davidson of East Oakland was arrested last evening by Deputy Constable Quinlan for impersonating an officer. He was released on $20 bail.

No Accident Occurred.

LITTLE ROCK, Arkansas, June 9.—The report that twenty-eight men were killed at Ross Hollow, on the Choctaw road yesterday afternoon is denied by the contractors. Several men from the camp are here today, having left Ross Hollow last night at about 8 o'clock. At that time no accident had occurred.

American Gold for Europe.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Lazard Freres will ship $2,000,000 in gold on Saturday's steamer to Europe. This will make $3,000,000 to go on that day.

MOKI TEA Positively Cures Sick Headache, indigestion and constipation. A delightful herb drink. Removes all eruptions of the skin, producing a perfect complexion, or money refunded. 25 cents and 50 cents. Sold by OSGOOD BROS.

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"Modern" furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. We give "green trading stamps." 462-464 Thirteenth street.

Died

DE FREMERY—May 28, 1899, James, beloved father of James L. de Fremery and Mrs. P. J. von Loben Sels, a native of Holland, aged 72 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place SATURDAY, June 10th, at 2 P. M., from the family residence, 1265 Adeline street, Oakland.

TAYLOR—In San Jose, Cal., June 8, 1899, Edward P. Taylor Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Taylor of Oakland, aged 15 years, 8 months and 4 days.

Probate Notice

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Georgia A. Stewart, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Georgia A. Stewart, deceased, and for the issuance to James Stewart of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated June 9, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.
WHITE & SEYMOUR and GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Atty's for Petitioner.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—A lady to do retouching. 821 Twenty-first st. e

WANTED—A Japanese boy to cook for family of four. Apply 680 Twenty-third street. d

NEWS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY

WHAT IS HAPPENING IN ALL THE TOWNSHIPS AROUND US.

BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, June 9.—The Board of Education has caused a surprise by failing to re-elect M. J. Congdon as principal of the Lorin school. Mr. Congdon has held the position for years, but Tuesday night the Directors failed to elect him, and the filling of the vacancy was postponed until the next meeting. Besides Mr. Congdon the candidates are W. E. Creed, E. H. Ribottom and J. M. Hahn.

CONSOLIDATED FIRE COMPANIES.

A strong effort is being made to consolidate the five companies. The Peralta and Beacon companies are holding out for the present system, and they are unwilling to compromise.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

At the meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon, a committee was appointed to take steps for the enforcement of the mile limit law.

Resolutions of sympathy were forwarded to Mrs. Simpson of Sacramento, whose daughter, Mrs Kelso, recently passed away.

Mrs. Height made a statement in regard to the anti-polygamy organization, urging that petitions against the seating of Congressman Roberts be forwarded to Washington.

A vote of thanks was extended to the trustees of Trinity M. E. Church for the use of the parlors during the past year.

The union then adjourned for the summer months.

A PECULIAR CIRCUMSTANCE.

A peculiar circumstance of the recent destruction by fire of the Phi Delta Theta "frat" house was the fact that the bond, which is similar in idea to the ark and the covenant of Holy Writ was not injured, although in the midst of the flames.

WEDDINGER'S PUNISHMENT.

George Weddinger of West Berkeley was sentenced to six months in the County Jail yesterday by Judge Edgar for wife beating. The wife stated that but for the interference of neighbors she might have been killed.

VOGT'S TRIAL.

Henry Vogt, charged with battering Pat O'Neill, will be tried by a jury in Judge Edgar's court next Wednesday morning.

DEATH OF C. MANGLES.

Christopher Mangles died Wednesday afternoon at his residence, 1621 Harmon street, of cerebral spinal typhoid fever. He leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will take place Sunday at 2 P. M. from the late residence, under the auspices of Oak Grove Lodge, No. 215, F. and A. M., and Peralta Camp, No. 128, Woodmen of the World. Interment, Mountain View.

RED CROSS PICNIC.

The Junior Red Cross Society of West Berkeley had a picnic on the hills today. The start was made at 8:30 o'clock, and the little ones spent a delightful day.

TOWN BREVITIES.

Railroad switches are being constructed at Second street and at Redmond's tannery.

The old contracting firm of Kidder & Cooper has been dissolved. Mr. Kidder will carry on the business.

T. S. Flint, U. C. '96, has been elected teacher of physics and mathematics in the San Diego High school, and Miss Katherine Lynch, also of '96, has been elected teacher of history in the same school.

The suit of W. T. Gibbons vs. J. C. Ayer for $8.50 has been decided in favor of the plaintiff.

A. C. Hunter, formerly Yoeman's assistant on the Oregon, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Gibson, of Webster street.

EMERYVILLE.

EMERYVILLE, June 9.—The E. B. Hood Company's cannery is now in working order, and will commence operations Monday or Tuesday. About five tons of apricots will arrive Sunday, and furnish work for some time. Until the middle of July about 300 people will be employed, then the number will be doubled. The company is capitalized for $100,000, and although many improvements have been made, Manager Hood states that his concern is going to branch out in every direction. Among other improvements will be a wharf, which is to be built out to deep water. Mr. Hood is one of the most experienced cannery managers on the coast, and besides having been manager for the Cutting Company for years has been at the head of other similar concerns.

WANTS HER HUSBAND PUNISHED—Mrs. L. M. Wolfe yesterday secured a warrant in Justice Bradford's court for the arrest of her husband on a charge of battery. Wolfe is employed as a clerk at the Judson Works, and his wife, who left him about six months ago, claims that Wolfe Sday evening he met her on Park avenue, and after threatening to kill her twisted the woman's arm to a painful extent.

A CHANGE OF VENUE—Fred Crosshem, who was to have been tried by Justice Bradford today on a charge of battering his stepdaughter, has secured a change of venue to Justice Quinn's court.

ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, June 9.—City Trustee Forderer has reconsidered his intention of resigning from the Board of Trustees. He was advised to abandon public life by his physician because of his recent illness, congestion of the brain, which was brought about by too much attention to business of his own and that of the public. Instead of resigning, Mr. Forderer will, at the request of friends, take an extended leave of absence which he will spend on his ranch in the Santa Cruz mountains.

ATKINS-MESEROLE.

The wedding of G. W. Atkins and Miss Bessie Meserole took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Meserole, 1491 Pacific avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. W. Scudder Jr. The bride was given away by her father. She was attended by Miss Clara Atkins. Richard Meserole, the brother of the bride, was groomsman. The groom is connected with the A. S. Neil Warehouse Company of San Francisco. The honeymoon will be spent in Ben Lomond. Mr. and Mrs. Atkins will reside in Alameda.

PLATT ON IMPERIALISM.

In his lecture before the Unitarian Club Wednesday night Horace G. Platt defended imperialism. "War," he declared, "came because war and peace are not of our own choosing. Pandora's box once opened, out rushed a score of causative events that lead and drove us into the international world. From a potential nation, we must now become an actual great power and upon the camera of the future we must cast one of the largest shadows or none at all. I believe that we will be equal to our opportunities and faithful to our stewardship."

ILLNESS OF W. D. BONES.

Ex-Senator William D. Bones, formerly a well known resident of this city, was taken suddenly ill in Fresno a few days ago. He is the father of Samuel Bones, the conductor on one of the Seventh street broad guage trains in Oakland.

LETTERS LIE UNOPENED.

City Clerk Lamborn has a number of letters in his possession addressed to the Board of Trustees which may contain subjects which ought to be disposed of immediately. He has not opened them, however, because of the action of Trustee Brick at the late meeting of the Trustees. Brick declared that he and he alone would hereafter open letters addressed to the Trustees. City Attorney Taylor has been asked for an opinion on the subject, but thus far has not given one.

A NAIL IN HIS FOOT.

The 4-year-old son of Joseph Soto, who lives near Alameda Point, in his bare feet, stepped on a nail yesterday in his father's house and the nail entered the foot on the sole and came out on the top, between the bones of the foot. The little fellow had driven a nail through a block of wood while at play. On getting out of bed yesterday morning the block with the nail was lying on the floor. The boy stepped on the nail which was turned upward and suffered excruciating pain until he was relieved by Dr. Stelzner. The lad is not yet out of danger of lockjaw.

HALCYON PARLOR.

The newly-elected officers of Halcyon Parlor are as follows: President, W. B. Hinchman; First Vice-President, W. B. Kollmyer; Second Vice-President, A. L. Behneman; Third Vice-President, W. A. Gaier; Marshal, Benjamin Elliott; Recording Secretary, Harry Tenney; Financial Secretary, F. C. Sunder; Treasurer, J. C. Bates Jr.; Trustee, J. R. Knowland; Surgeon, Dr. H. M. Pond.

UNITARIAN CLUB.

The Unitarian Club has adjourned for the summer season. The next meeting will be held August 9th. The season has been a very entertaining one, a number of brilliant entertainments having been given.

HAGY BANKRUPT.

Samuel Hagy, who conducted a butcher shop at 1415 Park street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $1,900. P. Uri & Co. are his largest creditors. He owes them $1,610.47. His assets amount to $1,000.

WHIDDEN HOSE RACE.

The Whidden Hose Company has decided to enter a team in the hose tournament on the Fourth of July at Haywards. The members of the team are practicing and expect they will be able to make an excellent showing. The course will comprise a run of 200 yards, coupling to a hydrant and then stretching a hundred yards of hose.

A PENSION.

A soldiers pension has been granted at Washington to Samuel Beetz.

MONEY FOUND.

A sum of money, something over $100, was found yesterday in a vacant house, 2323 Clement avenue. The place was formerly occupied by Maurice Kellar, who was suddenly taken ill and carried to the home of his son in San Francisco, where he died. He told his son, before his death, that he had buried money in his home in this city.

Leona Heights.

Poemp's Concert Band will discourse sweet music at the Heights Sunday afternoon. Take Alameda cars to California Railway at Tidal Canal Bridge.

LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, June 9.—The Clevelands of San Francisco will play the Livermore baseball club Sunday next. A hot game is looked for.

C. A. Buckley of "Ravenswood" vineyard and C. H. Wente & Co. of the "Bernard" vineyard are making heavy shipments of wine to San Francisco.

Benj. C. Barker, manager of the Olivina vineyard, who has been confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism for the past seven weeks, took a trip to San Francisco yesterday.

The stage for Mendenhall springs now leaves Livermore daily at 2:10 P. M., or on the arrival of the Visalia flyer.

Harry Crane of San Francisco was in Livermore on a business trip.

W. J. Dingee has purchased a brick building on First street between K and L, together with lot 50 x 200, running back to the railroad track, and rumor has it he will put in a new incandescent light plant to supply Livermore and Pleasanton, and also light up the county road between the two towns.

A larger number of binders will be used in the grain fields hereabouts this season than ever before.

More mowers have been sold this year than for many years previous.

The hay press men are getting their outfits ready to begin baling. Several cook wagons are seen on our streets loading up kitchen supplies. These cook wagons are dubbed "narrow gauge Pullman buffet cars."

Miss Lena Phillips has returned from Stockton after a two months' visit.

Miss Wise of San Francisco is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jenkin Richards.

GOLDEN GATE.

GOLDEN GATE, June 9.—The property owners on San Pablo avenue in the annexed district organized an improvement club Wednesday evening. The new organization is not intended to conflict with the Golden Gate Improvement Club but will devote its attention mainly to the avenue.

The following officers were elected: President, J. H. McMenomy; vice-president, S. Dowing; treasurer, H. Westphal; secretary, C. A. Klinker. Meetings will be held on the first Friday of each month.

The members of the new club are as follows: J. H. McMenomy, G. Peledeau, Mrs. M. Ronaldson, G. Leech, W. N. Connorr, A. Arnold, J. M. Page, K. V. Klinkner, H. F. Westphal, Don F. Miller, F. P. Carlus, J. Buchi, P. P. Butler, T. Pitts, S. Silverberg, J. T. Doyle, T. C. Landregan, J. T. Landregan, Florence Rohan, D. A. Landregan, W. Buchi, G. Mouniect, Al Dietz, George de Froost, A. M. Crawford, William O'Neill, J. O'Neill, W. Stroubacher, J. Fratus, B. Emmerich, H. Michel, I. H. Ibson, F. R. Niedt, S. Dunning, H. Klee, W. Schlow, J. Althousen, F. Finck, Mary E. Dewing, W. J. Keating, J. Landregan.

The pupils of Miss Mae Dagnan's dancing school will give an entertainment and dance this evening in Klinker Hall.

Mrs. Klinker and family, accompanied by Miss Nettie Parks, have gone to Los Gatos for the summer.

LORIN.

LORIN, June 9.—Mrs. W. C. Moran is the prospective heiress of a valuable estate in the city of St. Louis. About sixty years ago, John McKenna, Mrs. Moran's grand uncle, died, leaving 160 acres of land in St. Louis. Mrs. McKenna's father was one of the heirs, half of the property having been left to a convent. As the land was outside the city limits and practically valueless, the heirs paid no attention to it. Recently a cousin of Mrs. Moran visited St. Louis and knowing something of the legacy made an investigation. To his surprise he learned that the land is now in the business part of the city. Mrs. Moran now proposes to establish her claim as her father's heir.

The home of Louis Gotheim on Harmon street took fire last night. The damage was $25.

WANT TO WEAR A STAR.

There is quite a contest going on over the proposed appointment of a deputy marshal at this section of town. The candidates are Frank Esmond, James Barry and Arthur Dixon.

TEMESCAL.

TEMESCAL, June 9.—The little son of L. Carpenter of Fortieth street, who ran away from home a couple of days ago has been caught and returned to his home.

Joe Barber is recovering from an attack of measles.

L. N. Hager has the contract for hauling castings to the new oil wells at Orinda Park.

HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, June 9.—A feature of the celebration of the Fourth will be a hose tournament in which all the companies of the county have been invited to participate.

CHILDREN'S DAY.

It has been decided to hold the children's day exercises at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday evening, instead of in the morning.

THE CANNERY.

Operations at the cannery this week are confined to apricots. Work on cherries will be recommenced next week.

L. Reynolds who attempted to organize a new fraternal society here has given up the task.

J. C. Mulverhill has gone to Nevada on business.

Superintendent Darling of the Water Company has moved into the cottage adjoining the Methodist Church.

SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANRO, June 9.—The contract for the construction of a residence for the pastor of the San Leandro Catholic Church has been awarded to Phil Sheridan, of Berkeley. The building which will cost about $2,500, will have separate accommodations for the pastor and his assistant and a handsome reception room.

MUST PAY LICENSE.

Marshal Giesenhofer is enforcing the ordinance compelling the payment of a license on outside business men's vehicles which deliver goods in town. Wednesday two drivers for Oakland firms were arrested.

A. L. Honeyman of San Francisco was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Mendell has removed to San Francisco.

NORTH OAKLAND.

NORTH OAKLAND, June 9.—The Union Paving Company yesterday commenced the work of grading and macadamizing Hollis street northerly from Buena Vista avenue to Park avenue. Most of the property through which the unimproved part of the street runs is owned by the Realty Syndicate, and the work is being done by private contract.

J. Haberlan of Los Angeles is visiting here.

J. Smith, the grocer, will return from the southern part of the State tomorrow.

SUNOL.

SUNOL, June 9.—It is announced that H. H. Ellis of this place, who was appointed United States Consul at Turk Island, in the West Indies, last fall, has resigned and is now in New York city. Ellis left home immediately after his appointment, but his health began to fail and gradually grew worse until he realized that he must soon seek a different climate. He will be joined by his wife a little later and they will visit a married daughter until about Christmas time before returning to California. Ellis is the father of the Ellis brothers, who for several years have conducted stores here, at Niles and Pleasanton.

CENTERVILLE.

CENTERVILLE, June 9.—The trustees of Union High School No. 2 have decided on Antone Rose to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Gulleiman Crocker of the teaching staff. Miss Crocker intends to do post graduate work at the University of California for a year or two more.

NILES.

NILES, June 9.—The epidemic of scarlet fever in Washington township has practically been abated. About sixty of the children in the convent at Mission San Jose have had the disease, but less than a dozen are ill at present. As a result of the epidemic there has been but one death. No deaths have resulted from the mumps and measles, which were prevalent some time ago. The thirty-four cases of fever reported by Health Officer Emerson were for the entire month of May. The reports of the epidemic were exaggerated.

MANY DEALS IN REAL ESTATE.

Agents Report the Market Strong and Tell of Sales.

The demand for Oakland real estate is on the increase.

The suburban towns are flourishing. Small modern homes are being built rapidly. The time has come when people are no longer satisfied with the old-fashioned house whose only convenience was shelter. People now ask for all the conveniences which modern life has found indispensable to comfort. If one will notice he will see that the houses flying "to let" signs are almost all the old weather-beaten houses of a past decade. The same thing holds good in the sale of houses; the new house sells twice as quick as the old.

A. J. Hinds put on the market a short time ago a new tract—the Fruitvale Cottage Home tract containing forty-four lots. Already eighteen lots have been sold on easy instalments. One cottage has just been built there and another started. A San Francisco man has purchased four lots in the tract and intends to build a $2,500 home there.

Lots in these out-lying tracts are selling rapidly, it seems. H. Z. Jones has sold since last week about thirty-two lots in the new Westall tract where a lot can be bought now for about $20.

E. S. Bunce reports several sales and exchanges pending. He estimates that there are about one hundred and seventy-five houses and residences now in course of construction in Oakland.

Laymance Real Estate Company report a steady improvement in the market. Inquiries are more numerous, and buyers can be found for good properties, at what some consider low prices, but everything considered are fair valuations. The best evidence of the improvement in the market is, when a good piece of property is offered at a bargain, it can be sold. Laymance has sold for S. Greenhood to J. H. Dingwell, lot on the south-east corner of Grove and Fourteenth street, with two two-story residences thereon. For Charles Tozer to S. Angel, lot 26 x 100, on the south side of Third street, 81 feet east of Grove with a six-room cottage. For Edith Latham, a ten-room residence on Webster street near Durant. For George N. Williams and Charles E. Palmer, to Frances A. Braun, lot 40 x 100 on the west side of Oak street, 60 feet north of Twelfth, upon which he will construct a fine pair of residence flats. For A. Stevens to H. T. Renshaw, lot 225 x 125 on the north-east corner of East Fourteenth street and Olive avenue. For D. B. Parker to F. Thomas, lot 71 x 150, on the west side Webster street, near Fourteenth.

J. S. Meyers says business is active. He has several sales and other transactions on hand at present.

Heron and Holcomb report a demand for homes worth from $2,000 to $4,000. There is also an increasing inquiry for land for investment purposes merely, which is a good sign. The call for property in Linda Vista Terrace is increasing. Two residences are now being built on Linda Vista Terrace which offers one of the most necessary factors of a suburban residence district—quick communication with town, and the local trains. At present there are several negotiations on hand for sites in this district.

Leo L. Nichols is building a cottage home, to cost $1,400, on Joy street near Telegraph for Edward T. Whitney.

Hugh M. Cameron reports business active. He says there has been more inquiry during the past month than at any other time during the last five years. Business prospects, it is his opinion, have never been better in this city.

W. G. HENSHAW IS HONORED IN VALLEY.

The Yosemite Commissioners held a meeting in the valley last evening.

William G. Henshaw of this city was elected vice-president and J. J. Lerman secretary.

The Stomach is An Engine

Your health reflects its condition. If it's clogged up with impurities, and can't use the fuel you give it, there'll be trouble all over the body. There can be no disease with a good digestion. A strong stomach and perfect digestion comes from the use of

It clears the brain, strengthens the nerves—makes people WELL

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

AFTER THE POUNDMASTER.

Judge Yule Would Not Allow Horse to Be Taken.

Some of the members of the Council are dissatisfied with what is claimed to be the grasping tendency of the present incumbent in the office of Poundmaster. They say that Swift's recent impounding of Marshall's sixteen dairy cows was a hardship on their owner, and was moreover in violation of an agreement which was had with Swift when he assumed the duties of the place. That agreement was in effect that he would not visit the annexed district for some time until the the people there should have a chance to learn all the features of the impounding ordinance and until a large part of the section which is practically uninhabited territory should assume some of the aspects of municipal life.

Marshall's cows were taken up in the annexed district and while he says they were annoying the residents, it is claimed on the other hand that they were being driven from one field to another at the time that they were seized.

Councilman Cuveiller has written a letter to Swift on the subject of Marshall's cows with a request that all the relief possible be afforded the owner of the cattle, who claims that he has been treated unjustly.

A short time ago Swift undertook to seize a horse belonging to Judge Yule, but the judge was not to be treated in that manner. He carried his point, too, and retained possession of the animal. The next day Swift called to see Yule and convinced him that, he, Yule, was wrong in the controversy.

Judge Yule told Swift that he would not pay anything for the alleged offense as Swift understood it, but furthermore that he would defend gratis any poor person who might desire his services, as against Swift's interpretation of the law and understanding of his duties.

Mayor Snow said today that he would hereafter have the Poundmaster report at the City Hall a description of all animals seized and impounded by him on the day previous. To these seizures the press will make reference and thus enable people frequently to early find out what has become of their stock.

Swift, it is claimed, promised when he took office that he would not have the dirty old pound wagon of his predecessor doing duty in the streets, but a Councilman stated today that the same old box is still in use.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of John Meschi, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John Meschi, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Snook & Church, 922 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda county, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of John Meschi, deceased.

B. C. HAWES, Administrator of the estate of John Meschi, deceased.

Dated Oakland, June 6th, 1899.

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES

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Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, at the Board rooms, in the annex to the Hall of Records, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, until 10 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, JUNE 26, 1899,

(at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the county of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and chemicals, stationery, wood and coal, groceries, provisions, etc., dry goods, clothing, etc., meats, etc., fruit and vegetables, wines and liquors, from date of contract to June 30th, 1900, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board June 5, 1899, and according to the conditions and requirements in such schedules contained.

The county of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, bids to be awarded to the person or persons whose bid is the lowest on any item or items.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of said bids or proposals should the public interest so require.

Samples where required are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the Board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules and unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which it accompanies.

Said check to be forfeited to the county of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract.

Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by Art. 21, Sec. 25, County Government Act of the Legislature of the State of California.

All bids must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, and be endorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the county of Alameda, required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated June 8, 1899.

W. H. CHURCH, Chairman pro tem Board of Supervisors Alameda county, California.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Dewey—"The Crossroads of Life."
Columbia—"The Moth and the Flame."
Grand Opera House—"The Pirates of Penzance" and "I Pagliacci."
Tivoli—"The Merry War."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"Hamlet."
California—Italian Grand Opera.

PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.
June 10th—St. Markus Church of San Francisco.
Sunday, June 11th—Nord Deutscher Verein, of San Francisco, to 11 P. M.

FRIDAY......................JUNE 9, 1899.

Havana is becoming Americanized fast. The hackmen there are on strike for higher rates.

Minister Bellamy Storer appears to have been influenced by the first part of his name and to have indulged a little in "Looking Backward."

Aguinaldo has dissolved the Filipino Congress and proclaimed himself dictator. As he is playing a game of solitaire, anyhow, he doubtless figures that he might as well get full credit for it.

The attaches at the Stockton asylum are threatening to resign because they have been ordered to wear uniforms. They ought to feel glad that visitors will at last have some actual means of determining the sane from the insane, or rather those who are classified that way.

The Democratic Committee of 100 across the bay appears to be made up of Mayor Phelan representing the 1 and his followers comprising the naughts. The sooner it is disbanded the better—even for Phelan—for a one-man power is singularly inappropriate for a Democratic institution.

Hanna denies that he is going to retire. Of course not. Why should he? With Tom Reed practically out of the way, and all the other Presidential probabilities, satisfied to let McKinley handle the pie for four years longer, there is more reason than ever why Hanna should remain in the front rank and enjoy the fruits of success.

There should be severe punishment of some kind meted out to the physician who, while treating a case of smallpox across the bay, willfully permitted it to be transferred to Oakland. Such a procedure is simply outrageous, especially in view of the fact that a doctor, above all other people, knows the absolute necessity of rigidly quarantining such contagion at its very inception.

Take a little extra precaution before retiring about locking up and seeing that the windows are all fastened. A very industrious gang of burglars is in town, judging by the fact that the operators made five calls in one night. It is just as well to make their tasks as hard as possible, and some consolation can also be obtained from the fact that there is a probability that the police will run across them some time or the other.

M'KINLEY AND THE EXTRA SESSIONS.

The statement printed in the Philadelphia Ledger and telegraphed to this coast yesterday to the effect that President McKinley is lending his approval to the proposition to hold an extra session in Pennsylvania and to return Quay to the Senate that way instead of relying upon his possessing enough influence to secure his seat by appointment, bears upon its face so many imprints of truth that it is at least entitled to the fullest consideration.

There can be no doubt that McKinley is anxious to avoid all factional strife in the Presidential campaign next year, and that such disturbing elements would be injected into the fight is certain if Quay had to go before the people as a candidate seeking an endorsement of the honors conferred upon him by Gubernatorial appointment. All of this can, however, be avoided by disposing of the matter this year, for if an extra session is called it is tolerably certain that an election will result, thus eliminating the Senatorial fight from the Presidential campaign next year.

What is true of Pennsylvania is equally so of California, for the political conditions of the two States are parallel in every way. There is far more in this extra session question, therefore, than appears upon its face, for although the sky seems reasonably clear for McKinley's re-election next year, there is no telling what political clouds may blow up meantime, and it is just as well to avoid every possible source of danger. With one phase of the Presidential question involved, therefore, in the Senatorial elections in Pennsylvania and California, the holding of extra sessions in those States becomes in a measure a party necessity, provided it can be assured that the Legislatures will not be convened simply to indulge in the interminable jangle without results that characterized their regular sessions. With those unpleasant probabilities allayed, it does not seem, however, that a logical party argument can be made against reassembling the law-makers on the lines proposed.

AMES WILL FIGHT DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

George Spencer Ames, the missing Library Trustee of Alameda, whose second wife brought suit for divorce Saturday has filed a demurrer to the suit. He is represented by attorneys Rosenthal & Wise of San Francisco. The demurrer simply states that the complaint is not sufficient to constitute an action. The filing of the demurrer, however, shows that Ames has not been very far away since he has been in hiding.

TRAIN RUNS OVER HIS HEAD.

E. P. Taylor, Jr. Meets Tragic Death in San Jose.

The following dispatch from San Jose tells of the tragic death of E. P. Taylor Jr.:

"SAN JOSE, June 8.—By a railroad accident this afternoon Edward Payson Taylor Jr., the 14-year-old son of E. P. Taylor of Oakland, lost his life, and Frank Chapman narrowly escaped a similar fate. At 4:30 Taylor and Chapman were driving on Lenzen avenue at College Park. Chapman is a collector for F. A. Taylor's newspaper agency, and young Taylor, who is a nephew of the proprietor, was driving with him.

"As they came to the crossing of the narrow gauge railroad they heard a train approaching, and waited while the locomotive and two cars passed. They then started to cross. The train was making a flying switch and three cars were coming at rapid speed, concealed behind the buildings.

"Almost before the boys realized their danger the cars were upon them. Chapman made a leap just as the detached freight cars crashed through the buggy, but Taylor was not able to get out. Thrown beneath the wheels of the first car, the rest of the train passed over his head and shoulders, entirely severing the head from the body.

"Chapman escaped with hardly a bruise and the horse was uninjured. Edward P. Taylor, the father of the boy, is in the book and stationery business at Oakland. He was notified at once of the death of his son, and came to San Jose on the next train."

Young Taylor attended the public schools in this city and was very popular with his classmates.

WAS JUST ONE OF HIS DUPES.

Young Woman Begs Arlington for Return of a Ring.

A young woman called at the County Jail yesterday to visit Arthur Arlington. She refused to give her name, but admitted that she was one of the many women who have been duped by the false declarations of love made by Arlington. She stated that she had loaned the prisoner a ring, and as it had been a present from her mother, she was very anxious to secure its return.

As far as Arlington was concerned, she did not wish to prosecute him. The young woman got no satisfaction from her visit to the prisoner. He would not tell her whether he had the ring or not.

In regard to the charges made by Mrs. Smith Arlington says she is not a widow.

It is said a photograph taken with Mrs. Smith posing on Arlington's knee will be introduced as part of the defense.

LEGALLY DEAD STILL ALIVE.

The Singular Position of Mrs. Mary F. Wellock.

A decree of distribution has been handed down in the estate of Mrs. Mary F. Wellock.

She has been declared legally dead by the Court. Her estate, valued at $185, has been administered and is ready to be distributed to her relatives.

Mrs. Wellock, however, is not dead. She has simply been away, and her relatives supposed her dead.

Yesterday she instituted proceedings to have the decree of distribution set aside and to be declared legally alive.

A similar case occurred a few days ago, when E. Abraham of Coulterville appeared to claim his estate after many years.

WRECKED ON THE FARALLONES.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 9.—The Merchants' Exchange reports that the schooner Edward Parke is a wreck off the Farallone Islands, and that her crew, consisting of about six men, is entering this harbor in the ship's boat.

The schooner left this city for Usal on June 4th in ballast, and as the Farallones are but seven or eight miles from San Francisco, how she went ashore there after being out over four days is a mystery which will have to be explained when her crew lands.

Usal is in Mendocino county, and is a lumber shipping port.

THE CUBAN FORGERS

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HAVANA, June 9.—More attempts are being made to forge certificates of service in the Cuban army, and another man was arrested yesterday on this charge.

At Matanzas 365 men were examined yesterday on this charge, but only 125 of them were found to have their names on the rolls. It will probably be necessary for the paymasters to stay there for several additional days.

BUY THE GENUINE
SYRUP OF FIGS
... MANUFACTURED BY ...
CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.
NOTE THE NAME.

REV. CHAS. R. BROWN, YOUR DUTY WAS WELL PERFORMED.

WHAT SAY YOU PEOPLE OF FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH?

By THE EDITOR.

The Rev. Charles R. Brown has performed a difficult duty, and he has performed it grandly.

He had a difficult decision to make. He has made it to the satisfaction of every one of his many friends.

Not even his friends at the great and fascinating university at Palo Alto, whatever the keenness of their disappointment, can question the absolute wisdom of his decision.

It required breadth of soul to meet such a question as this pastor has been called to face and answer the present week, and to meet it in the spirit he has shown and with the results that he has attained.

It required breadth of vision to comprehend the niceties and the difficulties which beset this decision. It is greatly to the credit of the people of the First Congregational Church that they, without exception and without a moment's hesitation or amiable weakness, gave evidence of a clear, brave view of both the sides of decision and the duty which circumstances had placed before their pastor.

The appeals of this people, suddenly threatened with the loss of their beloved pastor, at no point struck the note of mere personal desire or partisanship. They took on from the first the hue of a judicial conscientiousness as lofty as his own. Mr. Brown's people did not help him out of a trying situation by introducing into it the element of personal feeling and attachment to which his heart must have responded. With what might be called Spartan moral virtue, were it not something so much higher, they besought him to do his duty and to decide to go where his conception of the higher duty called.

Like pastor, like people.

The occasion redounded to the honor of both.

The question has been determined, and it has been determined aright.

Nobody doubts but that the high claims of the students of Stanford upon the services of this minister of truth were duly weighed.

The duty performed, the decision made, on this high plane will prove a co-efficient to the Rev. Charles R. Brown's power for good so long as he shall remain in this community.

It was a duty well performed.

FOR POLICEMEN.

S. H. MITCHELL, BAILIFF--YOUR TURN NEXT.

Samuel H. Mitchell, bailiff of the Police Court, has been on the police force since 1875. For twenty-two years he has been bailiff of that court. During that time he has run across thousands of vagrants, petty larcenists, sneak thieves, burglars, highway robbers, perjurers and takers of human life. Experience teaches. As a consequence, in criminal matters Mr. Mitchell is one of the best informed men in the State. When a man appears in the dock, Sam can tell whether the fellow is a drunk, a sneak, a beat, a burglar, a murderer or a stool pigeon. He can tell whether the fellow has deserted his wife, has a "roll" or is without even a "bean." Sam expects every man to do his duty—that is, when he is fined or forfeits bail, to "put up like a man." Of course, if they don't, it makes no difference with him. He is after their say that he has already turned enough turn it into the treasury. His friendscoin, but he wants it so that he can money of this kind over to build a new City Hall. Despite this fact he still attends to business and smokes a pipe. He is the sweet singer of the City Hall. And yet, he has tried in various ways to allure people into court by means of the routine cry, "John Joseph, come into court." Sam's voice is not as musical as it was when he was in his teens. But when his voice cannot charm the delinquents he insinuatingly suggests that the court do the rest, and the court does it. Sam had no enemies until local vocalists heard that he was going to join the Stilwell Opera Company. They then made application to do the crying for the Police Court. Since then Mr. Mitchell has affirmed that he will sing for the Police Court and for no other institution on earth.

STREET CAR MEN.

G. F. REINDE, HAYWARDS LINE--YOUR TURN NEXT.

G. F. Reinde has been a conductor on the Haywards line for only a month. While young in the business, he seems to be just the man for the place. He has not much love for newspaper men when he thinks they may interfere with his business. He knows that changes in street railway forces may take place at any time. He has anticipated these and has striven to avoid them by devotion to duty. The older men have the day runs, a feature regulated by the management, but this is a field open to every employe of the company.

WOMEN WHO WORK.

MISS EVA CRAWFORD, CLERK--YOUR TURN NEXT.

Miss Eva Crawford, the daughter of T. O. Crawford, County Superintendent of Schools. Miss Crawford holds a deputyship in her father's office. She has held the position only a few months, having taken it a short time after her father's election. This, however, is no drawback to her efficiency. She has paid strict attention to the office work, and is now performing all of the duties most capably. Besides attending to the correspondence and other office duties, Miss Crawford has the pleasant duty of issuing requisitions to the teachers for their salaries. Her duties, however, do not stop with that. She has had to become familiar with the other offices in the county buildings in order to properly direct those who call at the office for information. "Why, they even come in here for marriage licenses," she said. "I have met several hundred people since I have been in the office, but the funniest were a young couple who wanted to get a marriage license. The young lady stood in the hallway while the young gentleman timidly approached me and asked if I could give him a license. He made several attempts to speak before he uttered an articulate sound. I felt like laughing at him, but, seeing how frightened he was, gave him the proper directions to secure his license."

THE ROUNDER.

I am sure there is going to be some very lively discussion at the meeting of the Police and Fire Commissioners when they meet as a Committee of the Whole to take up Mr. Dow's resolutions of dismissal. The Mayor has put himself on record in the matter, and he will not recant, so his friends say. I fear, however, that in the course of time the Mayor will get Fire Chief Ball's scalp.

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"Hit me for a seagull," said Commodore Curbstone, that wise old sea-dog who knows everything that is going on in town, "but I heard a good story today. "A certain city official who has one vote in the Police and Fire Board suggested to another member of the Board that it would be a very good idea to remove from the Fire Department all those gentlemen who are in any manner connected with the saloon business. The suggestion was all right, so the Board ordered a list of the names of the members of the department and their business to be filed. When the list was in hand the first official named passed his finger down the paper and stopped at the name of Ike Foster. The latter was in the saloon business, and there were many others in the same boat. Ike, however, was the only man to get the ax. The official who was so anxious to have all the saloon men put out of office stopped at his name."

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Did you hear about the suit that Tom Williams brought against Frank C. Jordan, County Clerk, to recover $50? Some good stories are to be told at the trial of the case. "Tom must think I have money," said Frank.

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"Well, I've made Joaquin Miller come to time," said J. Cal Ewing, County Auditor. "I see he is going to lecture for charity."

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Do not fail to read Judge Hall's joke on Attorney Nusbaumer in another column. It is a good one.

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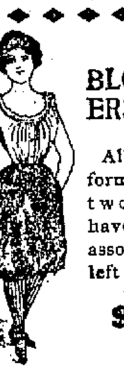
I hear that the friends of Street Superintendent Miller are going to wage a systematic war on Mayor Snow for his attitude in not voting for Miller. Of course Miller will hold his position. THE ROUNDER.

FATHER LOOKING FOR HIS BOY.

The father of William Donnelly, a lad 10 years of age, reported to the police today that the boy has been missing from his home on East Fifteenth street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues since yesterday morning. The boy is stout, has a dark complexion and blue eyes. The father has been away from home for the past week, and when he returned last evening found that his off-spring had departed.

Leona Heights Concert.

A fine concert will be given at Leona Heights Sunday afternoon by Poerps band.



BLOOMERS.

All wool—former price two fifty—have choice assortment left for **$1.48**

KAHN BROS.

SUMMER SPECIAL SACRIFICES SATURDAY

SALE CONTINUES MONDAY

MONEY SAVERS—They're the People that Trade Here.

PIQUE WAISTS

All our White Pique Waists—
The $1.50 values for $1.19
The $2.25 values for..........$1.48
The $3.00 values for..........$1.98
The $3.50 values for..........$2.48
The $4.00 values for..........$2.98

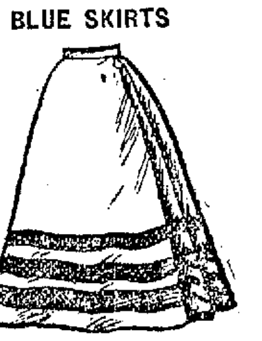
Dollar fifty Wrappers like cut, fitted lining and flounce for $1.19

Wool Wrappers that were sold from five to nine dollars are special at $2.49

MEN'S RIBBED COTTON UNDERWEAR

The fifty-cent kind. Saturday and Monday..........39c

NAVY BLUE SKIRTS



Duck Skirts, 3 rows white duck, regular dollar fifty kind for......98c

WAISTS

Lawn Waists—fine quality, 12 tucks, ½ inch wide in front, blue with white tucks, pink with white tucks and white with pink; also blue tucks, size 34 to 40. Just like cut, regular price $1.50, special.......98c

Fifty cent percale Waist, size 32 only, to close..........19c

Fine lawn Aprons like cut 50 to 60 inches wide, embroidery trimmed, dollar apron for 50c

All $10.00 Jackets Special $7.50

DRESS SKIRTS

Of Cream Alapaca. The success of the season; latest novelty $3.50 cream skirt has 12 rows of cording, offered Special at..........$2.49

White Duck Skirts, 12 rows cording..........98c

$12 TAFFETA SKIRTS

In Chenille effects; special .. $9.48

MEN'S SUMMER WEIGHT CASHMERE SOX

Three for a half quality. Saturday and Monday....10c

Tailor-Made, Ready-to-Wear ...Suits

All our $22.50 TAILOR-MADES, Special, **$15.00**

Ten dollar, tight fitting Suits, pronounced the best values this year; have them in black, navy and all covert shades; special offering.........$7.48

LADIES' ONEITA COMBINAT'N SUITS

Ankle length, never less than a dollar. Saturday and Monday........69c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Sterling Silver Sets, 925/1000 fine.

Nail File, Cuticle, Hook, — The combination for **25c.**

EXTRA SPECIAL

Ladies plate BEAUTY PINS, flat and twisted, worth the usual price of six for quarter; special here, six for..........10c

HOUSE FURNISHING DEPT.

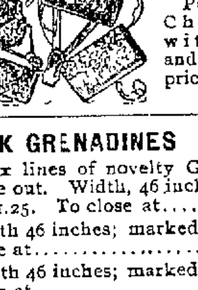
Bagdad Portieres, heavy fringe top and bottom, three or six stripes; five dollar values. Saturday and Monday..$3.98

Hungarian Cloth, 36-inch width; just the thing for summer homes, cosy corners and pillows, Bagdad patterns, two-bit stuff. Saturday and Monday..........19c

White Swiss, 36-inch width, for sash curtains and cottage windows; the bit kind. Saturday and Monday......9c

There's a time for making and a time for losing money—the losing time is here. Just see Millinery Announcement.

For Saturday and Monday, for the purpose of moving a surplus Millinery Stock, All Trimmed Hats ½ off marked price.



LEATHER GOODS SPECIALS

See Washington street show window.

Purses and Chatelaines with marked and reduced prices.

SILK GRENADINES

Six lines of novelty Grenadine to close out. Width, 46 inches; marked at $1.25. To close at..........69c
Width 46 inches; marked at $1.50; to close at.......... 84c
Width 46 inches; marked at $2.50; to close at..........$1.60
Width 46 inches; marked at $3.00; to close at..........$1.73
Width 24 inches; marked at $1.25; to close at..........72c
Width 24 inches; marked at $1.50; to close at..........85c

SWISS CURTAINS

With ruffles; never less than one fifty. Saturday and Monday, pair, 99c

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

Skirt lengths of solid color (Chambray), striped edge. All they require is a yoke to make them equal to a six-bit skirt. Saturday and Monday, 25c

UNTRIMMED SHAPES

Fifty cent shapes to close out at 25c
Six bit shapes to close out at 39c
Dollar shapes to close out at 48c
Dollar fifty shapes to close out at 73c
Two dollar shapes to close out at..........98c

HANDK'CH'F SPECIAL

Ladies' Lawn Handkerchief—hemstitched, lace insertion and emb. corners; equals any twenty-cent article shown. Saturday and Monday....10c

DUCK SUITING

Black and navy; just the thing for skirts; cheap at a bit. Saturday and Monday..........8½c

WHITE DUCK—36-in. width

Matchable only at fifteen cents. Saturday and Monday..........10c

WHITE BAND LAWN

Width, 40 inches; suitable for aprons; always 15c. Saturday and Monday..........9c

LADIES' BLACK HOSE

Seamless; splendid fifteen cent value. Saturday and Monday........10c

Child's black ribbed hose; all sizes, six for a dollar value Saturday and Monday ...10c

BEADED BELTS

A special lot, six styles, priced up to one fifty. Saturday and Monday......69c

See Washington street show case.

KAHN BROS.

"The Always Busy Store."

N. E. Corner Twelfth and Washington Sts., Oakl'd

Concert Saturday Night.

LADIES' P.K. PUFF TIES

White and colored; value, thirty-five cents; we had them special at a quarter. Saturday and Monday..19c

PIEDMONT.

PIEDMONT, June 9.—Frank Morrell, who was accidentally killed by the discharge of a gun near Lafayette yesterday, was a son of Sim Morrell of Moraga Valley. The young man was well known about here, having attended the Piedmont school for a number of years. One of the Morrell boys is at present in Manila. He was down with the fever and was again reported among the killed.

Conductor Skain was elected President of the Street Carmen's Benefit Association and George Cornell Conductor at their last election.

The cars on the Piedmont division were delayed this morning, owing to one of the cars jumping the crossing at Fourteenth and Broadway. At present the crossing is in bad condition, owing to the change being made in the San Pablo line from a cable road to an electric road.

ENGAGEMENT BROKEN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, June 9.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin says:

The engagement between Prince Maximilian of Baden and the Grand Duchess Helen, daughter of the Grand Duke Vladimir, has been definitely broken off.

The Northam Badly Injured.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

GREENS FARM, Conn., June 9.—The steamer Northam, which was beached here on Wednesday night after collision with the Richard Peck, was floated at high tide at midnight and headed out, apparently for New York. She had gone only about 1,000 yards when she was turned about and again driven on the beach. No explanation of the manoeuvre has been made, but it is thought the injury to the vessel was found to be so severe as to make it unsafe to proceed in her present condition to New York.

Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eating or any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by OSGOOD BROS.

GOOD NEWS FROM SAMOA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Dr. F. P. Chambers of this city has received a letter from his brother, Chief Justice Chambers of Samoa, dated Apia, May 18th. The letter is of a personal nature, but the Chief Justice says everything is quiet at Apia; that the Commissioners were sitting daily, and he was about to send to Auckland, N. Z., for his family, which he sent away in April at the outbreak of the recent trouble.

ARE ANXIOUS TO SECURE THEIR RIG.

Attachments have been sent to seven counties in the State to be served on M. M. Barney should he be found. This action was taken by Snook & Church in behalf of Dr. R. L. Jump and wife who are suing Barney for $51.57. It is said that Barney left this county driving in a rig. The intention is to seize the rig.

Is Paderewski Married.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 9.—The agents here of Ignace Paderewski say they know nothing of the report published in the Warsaw Courier that the pianist was married May 31st at Warsaw, Poland, to Miss Helen Rosen.

Camp Stools 15c

Cot mattresses at bottom prices, at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

Drs. R L Hill and R L Hill Jr. have moved their office to 1165 Washington street, corner Fourteenth. Residence, 564 Fourteenth street. Tel. black 281.

They make one feel as though life was worth living. Take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Annie Thomas, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Annie Thomas, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of Snook & Church, attorneys for said estate, 922 Broadway, Oakland, Alameda county, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the said estate of Annie Thomas, deceased.

JESSIE REED,
Administratrix of the estate of Annie Thomas, deceased.

Dated Oakland, June 9th, 1899.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Att'ys for said Estate, 922 Broadway, Oakland, California.

The Lace House

Cor. Twelfth and Washington Sts.
IN BLAKE BLOCK

THE H. C. CAPWELL CO.
(Incorporated)
PHONE 1071 RED

July Patterns

McCall Bazar Patterns for July are now ready. Ask for Fashion Sheet FREE. McCall Magazine 10c a copy. Patterns 15c and 16c—none higher.

Now It Is Generally Known

It takes a long time to convince a whole community of a fact that may be well known by a few. We have, for nearly ten years, been giving publicity in the papers and examples in the store, of the way we conduct our business. Many learned of our equitable methods long ago, and many more have learned in recent years. Now the whole community seems to understand that this is a store to be relied upon. Everything as represented, and the money back for the asking.

Summery Cottons

Brisk business brings new assortment.

There has been some brisk cotton selling going on here the past few weeks. But the inroads on the stock are scarcely noticeable because new things drop in every day.

A lot of high-grade Percales in newest shades and patterns just placed in stock at **12½c** per yd.

New Covert Cloth, at **12½c** yd.

Lawns and Organdies at reduced prices. We want to clean up stock on these line, so use the pencil on them. Reduced prices, **3½c** to **25c** a yd.

Children's Dresses

The "cute" kinds.

One of the reasons for this ever-increasing children's outfitting business of ours is that visitors are charmed by the novelty and beauty of the goods.

The little white frocks we offer for infants are as neat as wax, and the prices are so reasonable, **75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00** to **$5.00**

Percale, Gingham and Lawn dresses, sizes, 2 to 10 years, prices, **35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50**

Overalls for Girls, at 40c, 50c

Mothers have learned how to save the better clothes. The girls are now wearing overalls. We sell lots of them.

Boys' Washable Suits

Big selling of these has been going on the past week. A whole Suit, sailor blouse and knee pantaloons, for **25c, 35c, 50c, 75c** to **$1.50**

Need Ribbons?

Buy them now—and save.

On some you save a quarter, some a third, and as much as a half on some of them.

Wide fancy Ribbons at **25c, 30c** and **35c** yd.

Everyone of them a bargain; all are new, perfect and fashionable.

Plain taffeta Ribbon, width 40, at **20c** yd.

Staple Ribbons are here in all widths and shades.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Pick out your Waists for vacation wear now. Our stock is melting away. Dozens are being sold every day.

Our Waists are perfect-fitting, at **50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50** to **$2.**

Women's Belts

Every fashionable sort is here.

There isn't a Belt wanted that cannot be filled from this stock—economically filled, too.

Leather belts at **15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c** to **$2.**

Our line of Mexican carved belts is the best we have ever shown.

Beaded elastic belts, black, steel, and with colored beads; grades at **65c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50** to **$2.50.**

Belt buckles and ribbon for belts in good assortment.

Towels

Linen and Turkish.

Take a supply to the country with you.

We are offering some good numbers at **10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c,** and **25c**

STORY OF A HORSE, A CORK SCREW AND JUDGE NUSBAUMER.

OR HOW SUPERIOR JUDGE HALL ENJOYED A JOKE.

Superior Judge S. P. Hall, while always attending to the duties before him, is not averse to cracking a little joke when the occasion offers.

The occasion was offered during the trial of A. H. Cohen, charged with maliciously driving his buggy into the cart of I. L. Borden. Judge Nusbaumer was the attorney for the defendant. He attempted to prove to the jury by a graphic illustration the improbability of Cohen's buggy having come in contact with Borden's cart. For Mr. Nusbaumer's purpose it was necessary to draw a horse on the blackboard. This Mr. Nusbaumer attempted. His efforts was not an entire success. If he had not named the figure a horse it is doubtful if the jury could have recognized what it was intended to represent.

Judge Hall appreciated the incongruity between the drawing and the object it was intended to represent. While the trial was proceeding he quietly wrote a few words on a sheet of paper and directed Clerk Mock to hand the missive to Mr. Nusbaumer. On the paper was written: "I WOULD SUGGEST THAT YOU ARE ABLE TO DRAW BETTER WITH A CORKSCREW THAN WITH A CRAYON."

Judge Nusbaumer appreciated the joke. A quiet smile passed between the court and the attorney, and the trial proceeded without any one other than the two concerned knowing of the little "tickle" joke.

MERCHANTS DO THEIR OWN FREIGHTING.

Fred Sinclair of the Oakland Fruit and Produce Company has chartered the gasoline schooner Alta, which he will use to transport fruit from Sacramento River points to this city. She will carry about seventy-five tons of fruit and will make three trips per week between here and Courtland.

Oakland dealers are no longer dependent on the San Francisco market for Sacramento river produce. There are now two firms in this city who do their own freighting and are independent of the transportation companies as far as Sacramento River business is concerned. They are the Oakland Fruit and Produce and Hunt, Hatch & Company.

SOUTHERNERS AND COFFEE

A Cooking School Teacher From the South.

My father was a Southerner, and therefore we always had coffee three times a day, and as a result, are a very nervous family.

I could not break off from the coffee habit until I found a delightful beverage in the Postum Food Coffee.

I have learned to like it better than coffee.

We did not like it at first, because it was not made according to directions, but since we have come to know that it must be boiled, we are enthusiastic in its praise.

I give lessons in cooking, and am naturally brought in contact with a great many people whose habits of food and drink I learn. I find that many families have come to know of the advantage of Postum Food Coffee and have abandoned common coffee altogether. I could send you a long list of these if you care for it.

I cannot speak too highly in praise of Postum. I have often wished I could afford to buy a few dollars' worth and give it to those who are suffering from the drug contained in ordinary coffee and who would be glad to know that they could have a delicious cup of health coffee. Mrs. Myra J. Tullar, 302 W. 5th St., Kansas City, Mo.

SHE WILL OBEY HER PARENTS' ORDERS.

Victor Boell, son of Superintendent Boell of the California Door Company, has met with unexpected difficulties in securing possession of his bride.

Last December, Boell, who had for some time been engaged to Miss Lucy Olsen, but without her parents' consent, persuaded her to accompany him to a neighboring county whence they returned man and wife. Mrs. Boell immediately told her parents of the step she had taken but they refused to be reconciled and have since kept a close watch on her. It is said she will not leave until she gains their consent.

POISONED BY A SICK HORSE

Louis Hoffman, steward of Hose Company No. 3 of the fire department, is just out of the hospital after a severe illness, due to blood poisoning contracted while caring for a sick horse.

NO PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS UNLESS CITY IS BONDED.

MAYOR SNOW WANTS BONDS ISSUED IN SUM OF $1,000,000.

The Twenty-third Avenue Improvement Club hold a meeting last evening and discussed public improvements. S. Swift, president of the club, discussed the park proposition. H. A. Deming suggested the Simson tract.

Mayor Snow, who was present, made a few remarks on the subject as follows:

"Adams' Point is a fad of mine. It occupies the same place, relatively speaking, to Oakland as does the pan handle to San Francisco. The Simson tract or the Sather tract would be the same as Golden Gate park. We want a park not for the rich, but for the poor, for the man who spends all day hard at labor. I think it would be a good idea to provide a resting place for these men. We ought at least to buy the land around the lake.

"If I had money enough I would buy the whole of Adams' Point and give it to the city. Still if your idea of having a park on the Simson tract is accepted by the majority of the people I will certainly work for the issue of bonds for the purchase of it.

The Mayor spoke of establishing patrol districts for the purpose of keeping the streets and sidewalks clean. He touched on the matter of a central improvement club and spoke of the benefits to be derived from such a confederation. He said it would be necessary to issue bonds for improvements.

I do not think that you will be able to obtain anything from the tax levy this year," said Mr. Snow. "Unless we issue bonds we can secure no improvements at present."

S. Swift favored bonding the city and buying the Simson tract. W. F. Boardman spoke for the Simson tract.

H. A. Deming asked Mayor Snow a question as to his opinion of the dollar limit. The Mayor said: "The legal tax limit is one dollar. Besides this there is 17 cents levied per annum to pay off the bonded school indebtedness to the city. The city can profitably use a million dollars for improvements. I am in favor of the issue of the whole sum or any part of it."

City Attorney Dow was present but was forced to leave on account of another engagement before the discussion on the park question arose.

A petition asking the Council to order the macadamizing of the old county road was presented to the club. It appears that though the street is in the limits it is the dividing line between the city and county. On the north side of the street the property is in the limits and on the south side the property holders are outside. Consequently if the City Council ordered the street macadamized the people living in the city limits would have to stand the entire expense. The petition received was a duplicate of one to be sent to the Council asking them to adjust the matter in some way so that the cost would be equally divided. The following are the signers of the petition and the number of feet frontage that they represent:

Mary Armette Goodrich, 59 feet.
Martine Anderson, 59 feet.
W. D. Parkhurst, 29 feet.
L. J. Knudsen, 37 feet.
Mrs. E. H. Holloway, 25 feet.
Board of Trustees of Centennial Presbyterian Church, by John W. Berger, secretary, 75 feet.

HE LOOKS FOR THE NEW CHAMPION THIS EVENING.

By HENRY A. NEWBERRY, OF THE TRIBUNE STAFF.

The fistic encounter tonight at Coney Island between Robert Fitzsimmons, champion of the world, and James Jeffries, the young California giant, means more than a struggle for a championship and a big purse. Whichever wins it means that there will not be another heavyweight championship battle in this country for at least two years, perhaps three.

Fitz has already announced that he will never fight again if he wins tonight. If he loses he will doubtless be eager to take any match he can get, but they would not be championship fights, as defeat at the hands of Jeffries will relegate the Cornishman to the ranks of the "has beens," where Corbett has marked time ever since that gentle and joyous passage-at-arms at Carson two years ago.

If Jeffries wins his astute manager, Billy Delaney, will be in no hurry to let his champion fight again. He will take Jeffries on the road as a theatrical attraction to reap the fruits of victory while his popularity is at its height, and the champion's laurels will be pretty well wilted before Delaney allows him to risk his prestige in another battle.

Sharkey and McCoy will of course clamor loudly for a fight with the champion, whoever he may be, but both are defeated men, though by far the best men of the heavyweight brigade outside of the undefeated gladiators who will struggle for supremacy tonight. Sharkey has been decisively beaten by both men, though Fitz was robbed of the decision after he had given the sailor one of the worst beatings a pugilist ever got. McCoy has been whipped by Sharkey, so his claims to a championship fight have still less foundation than the sailor's.

It is a knowledge of the fact that tonight's battle between the two unbeaten heavyweight pugilists of the world will be the last championship fight for several years that is going to pack Coney Island club with the largest crowd ever seen at a prize fight. Jeffries is in better condition than ever before, as he has trained off the surplus flesh that has heretofore hampered his movements in the ring. He will crawl through the ropes tonight supremely confident, which is half the battle; his great size and long reach make him a peculiarly difficult man to get at, and he is far and away the most powerful man in the ring. Fitz is a wonder but with the natural advantages Jeffries possesses, supplemented by the valuable coaching he has received by daily boxing with Tommy Ryan, than whom no cleverer boxer ever donned a glove, the writer looks for a new champion to be heralded to the world tonight.

IMPROVERS AT GOLDEN GATE.

Supt. Miller Gives Some Advice to the Residents.

The Golden Gate Improvement Club held a regular meeting last night.

Street Superintendent Miller addressed the club in regard to house numbering and stated that he hoped to reform the present unsatisfactory system now used in Oakland.

He advised the club to continue the present system now prevailing in original Oakland in regard to numbering north and south and that all streets running east and west, north of Thirty-sixth street, be designated by numbers instead of names and that the first house number north of Thirty-sixth be 3,600.

Mr. Miller stated that he believed it would be necessary to amend the charter before his proposition in regard to Oakland could be placed in operation. The work of renumbering could be ordered by the Council but he did not believe the measure could be enforced. The expense would be about $3,500.

After considerable debating, Stephen Dewing moved that Lake Merritt be taken as a base for numbering the streets of the annexed district from east to west.

U. C. Chichester objected on the ground that the proposed base was too far away. Mr. Chichester moved an amendment embodying part of Mr. Miller's suggestion. This failed of a second and Capital M. McMenomy moved as a substitute that all of the Street Superintendent's plan be recommended carried.

On motion of Mr. Dewing it was decided to change the name of Tenth street to Federal and that Twelfth street be named Liberty.

Mr. Miller in answer to a question stated that Engineer Clement would probably embody plans for the disposal of the present water on San Pablo avenue in his plans for a new sewer system. Mr. Miller was then given a vote of thanks.

A communication was received from Division Superintendent Agler to the effect that the Club's request for a railroad waiting room could not be granted, and asking if it was desired to have the present depot removed.

A motion to request the removal of the building was laid on the table, as Mr. Sesselbreck, who conferred with Mr. Agler, stated that he would confer again with the superintendent.

On motion of Henry Burns it was decided to request the City Council to pass a resolution requiring the water company to lay six or eight-inch mains on cross-streets and a ten or twelve-inch main on San Pablo avenue. This is preliminary to the establishment of hydrants.

A letter, printed in another column was received from Councilman Cuveiller in regard to the Club's request that a steam fire engine be established at Golden Gate. The document was placed on file and the meeting adjourned.

Pears'

It is a wonderful soap that takes hold quick and does no harm.

No harm! It leaves the skin soft like a baby's; no alkali in it, nothing but soap. The harm is done by alkali. Still more harm is done by not washing. So, bad soap is better than none.

What is bad soap? Imperfectly made; the fat and alkali not well balanced or not combined.

What is good soap? Pears'.

All sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists; all sorts of people use it.

Make No Mistake in buying Condensed Milk. Take no substitute for the

Gail Borden Eagle Brand

CONDENSED MILK

There are cheaper and inferior brands to the Eagle, but none that equal it. It has stood first for **forty years.** Send for Recipe Book.

BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK CO., N. Y.

Jas De Fremery's Remains.

The remains of the late James de Fremery, who died on the train while on the way to New York, arrived in this city last evening. A son of the deceased accompanied the remains. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon from the family residence, 1305 Adeline street.

The Dresco Estate

The estate of L. Dresco, liquor dealer has been appraised at $20,642. He had $1,052 in money. The rest was in realty, the largest piece being situated at Lyon street and Golden Gate avenue, San Francisco and appraised at $12,000.

Alfred Wilkie Ill

Alfred Wilkie, the tenor, is critically ill at his home, 733 Telegraph avenue. Fears are entertained lest he may not recover. At first his physician, Dr. S. H. Buteau, pronounced the illness typhoid fever, but now there is fear of heart failure.

At ABRAHAMSON'S

Items of Interest in our great SATURDAY SALE

ALTHO' we invariably have in the neighborhood of **ONE HUNDRED** lots all marked **SPECIAL PRICES** for Saturday, advertising space will not permit us to mention but one-quarter of that amount. We endeavor to bring you to our corner by the following leaders. **When on the corner,** see our windows for others. A walk through our store will prove that what we advertise are facts.

In Millinery Department

Over 1000 bunches of new Foliage and Flowers, all qualities, all mentionable kinds. Were 25 to 50c. Per bunch..**12½c**

500 "Vixen" rough straw Sailors, came too late to sell quick at $1. A swift price Saturday **50c**

With them came a case of mixed $2.00 "Knox" Sailors. You can pick them out for **75c**

A tableful of Odds and Ends of all the desirable styles of this season's Trimmed Walking Hats, that sold at $2.00, 2.25, 2.50 to 3.00. Get one of the best walk at, each **$1.00**

All our trimmed Millinery, **1-2** price.

In Handkerchief Dept.

1000 ladies' hemstitched embroidered ⅝ corner handkerchiefs; something to take on your outing; easily worth 10c each, will sell Saturday at, each.....**5c**

Another lot of all-leather Belts, genuine goods, up-to-date styles and double values. Again, Saturday.. **25c**

In Ribbon Department

See our window display for Ribbon supremacy. Space here could not describe it.

2500 yards of double-faced Black all-Silk Satin Ribbons, 5 in. wide, 50c yd. quality. Saturday.....**30c**

200 pieces Lucene Ribbons, all the gayest of the gay patterns, in Roman stripes, Ombre stripes, checks, plaids and dots. The variety is enormous; 4½ in. wide, not a yard is worth less than 50c; our price.....**25c**

All-Silk 4 in. Moire Ribbons.....**22½c**

2½ in. of same.....**15c**

In Undermuslin Dept.

99c

Ninety-nine has a strong fascination for most people when it is backed up by $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 values, like we have picked out of our broken Gown and Skirt stock. You'll find the finest and most beautifully trimmed undergarments here you ever laid your eyes on, at

99c

Ninety-nine cents is made applicable to our stock of black, gray, white and fancy figured medium and short length Corsets, that sold at $1.25, 1.50 and 1.75. Saturday only.....**99c**

100 misses' and children's pretty percale Poke Bonnets, val. lace trimmed, long ties. Good value for 35c. Saturday.....**19c**

In Ladies' Neckwear Department

About 700 pieces all told of ladies fine Chiffon Bow Ties, all shades, all kinds, dotted, plain, embroidered, lace and ribbon trimmed, former price was from 45c to 75c, Saturday.....each **19c**

In Cloak Department

Only 20 more received yesterday of our celebrated Covert Suits in brown, tan, green, blue, also black serge, tight-fitting, and fly front. The assortment is again complete.....Price, **$15**

Here are some startling values

100 only, Crash Skirts, just the thing for camping....**25c** each. One to a customer.

4 dozen Grass Linen, Gingham and Striped near-silk underskirts **50c**

"Derby" Waists.....**$1.00**

The best that money can buy. All the latest patterns in percales, in stripes large and small, marked from $1.25, $1.40 and $1.50, to **$1.00**

They won't last long.

In Lace Curtain Department

1 000 yards more of our 36 inch 15c. yd Curtain Swiss, will all go Saturday at.....**9c** yd

50 pairs of high art Tapestry Portiers that sell regularly at $7.50 per pair, Saturday.....**$5.00**

In Glove Department

85c Two Leaders, and Great Leaders, too. **85c**

Our celebrated "Camille" two clasp kid gloves all shades, value $1.25, our celebrated Mocha glove, two clasp, equal to any competing glove in the market at $1.00 our price.....**85c**

You can always see the crowds at our glove counter.

In Hosiery Department

Ladies' and children's hosiery with us is a hobby that always has brought the crowd when looking for high class hose at low prices.

Here are some Bringers.

Childrens' good medium weight hose, double knee, fast black, value for 22½ cents, Saturday.....**15c**

Just in, another lot of our best Balbriggan foot hose, with Hermsdorf black tops, our buying in large lots enables us to sell them at.....**25c** pr

Others ask 35c for same hose.

To see is to buy our ladies' low-neck vests, lace trimmed neck and arm holes, at.....**15c**

Unapproachable values in ladies' vests at....**25c** and **50c**

In Gents Furnishing Department

Summer values in this department are to be seen displayed on all sides. We are sole agents for this county of the celebrated "Peyser" 2100 4-ply linen collar in all styles, here only, at.....**10c** each

465, 467, 469, 471 Thirteenth St. **ABRAHAMSON BROS.** S. E. Cor. Washington St.

SOME ANTECEDENTS OF THE POLICE.

Police Commissioner Clement made an examination of the records of the Police Department today as published in the late report of Chief Fletcher with a view to discovering the antecedents and other details of the men on the force. He ascertained that thirty per cent of the members are natives of California, five per cent of Maine which is a greater percentage than that of any other State represented in the Department and of such States there are nineteen. Six foreign countries have representatives on the force. Nine of the members are natives of Ireland. One only is a native of Germany, although there are many descendants of Germans in the ranks.

Commissioner Clement has also ascertained that of the people arrested by the Police 80 per cent are convicted, 17 per cent discharged and the other three per cent have sentence suspended or are otherwise disposed of.

Passenger Agreement.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

CHICAGO, June 9.—Members of the Western Passenger Association have provisionally agreed on a revised draft of a general agreement. It is still subject to the votes of the absent lines, and an adjournment until June 15th was taken today to allow these votes to be secured.

UNCLE SAM MAY MEDIATE.

The Transvaal Dispute Is Likely to Be Arbitrated.

LONDON, June 9.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon says a rumor is current from a well-informed source that it has been proposed in a responsible quarter that the United States mediate between the Transvaal and Great Britain. It is added that the suggestion is being considered and it is "not improbable that mediation may be undertaken."

White Bicycles,

New '99 wheels, general repairing. H. L. Sargeant, 1057 Washington st. Tel. blue 772.

Ferry Fare Coupon

This Coupon entitles the holder (if a resident of Alameda County) to a refunder of 20c. for Ferry Fare—after making a purchase at our Great Sacrifice Sale of SPRING and SUMMER SUITS. See advertisement elsewhere.

BROWN BROS. & CO., 121, 123 SANSOME ST., SAN FRANCISCO

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BRANCH OFFICES

Adlets placed at any of the following branch offices will be promptly forwarded to THE TRIBUNE "Want Department."

ALAMEDA.

L. A. FIELD'S Stationery Store, 1503 Park street.

OAKLAND.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. building, 2962 Telegraph avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1778 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LIEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 592-594 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES.

EUGENE MERCIER of the French Wine and Liquor House, 871 Broadway, keeps the finest wines, etc., at lowest prices. Try them. Phone, Brown 732. b

THIRTY Days only, household goods on easy payments at H. Schellhaas' old store, Eleventh and Franklin streets. Sale begins June 5th; all goods delivered free of charge. x

CARPET CLEANING and Renovating Works, 19th st., near Tel. ave.; carpets taken up, cleaned, relaid; all work guaranteed. P. Mathewson, prop'r. Telephone, Cedar 414. Residence, cor 2d ave. and East 11th st. b

MRS. S. M. ABBOTT, hairdresser, scalp specialist, manufacturer hair goods, cosmetics, 1324 Franklin. Tel 721 brown.

NEW and second hand furniture bought and sold at 873 Broadway. Homes furnished on installment plan.

REMOVED—American Express Co., to 481 Twelfth; trunks moved 25 cts; telephone blue 879.

SPECIAL DESIGNING of patterns and styles in ladies' costumes. Mrs. N. C. Farnette, 435 Oakland ave. Take Piedmont cars. Ladies wanting something new in dresses should avail themselves of this opportunity. Will call if summoned by mail. b

VENEMAN'S Hair Tonic prevents hair from falling out; try it. For sale at Fashion Hair Store, 459 Thirteenth. b

FOR A COOL DRINK of any kind, with a fine lunch, go to the California Wine House, 61 Washington, cor. Seventh. Private apartments for ladies. Try our 7-year-old claret, 25c per gallon. Christensen & Shaw, prop'rs. b

EDISON Phonograph Parlors, 470 Seventh st.; records shaved, 40c a dozen; phonographs and supplies; repairing of all slot machines a specialty. b

MRS. DR. PARLOWS Rheumatic Absorbent, worth its weight in gold. Agency, 48 Phelan Bldg., San Francisco. b

TAXIDERMIST—H. F. Lorquin 504 Clay

OAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 533 Seventh st.; or her box 8, W. cor Twelfth and Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paints, floors scrubbed, etc.; contracts by week or month; phone 512 night. G. Tigone. b

PERSONALS.

POSITION WANTED to take care of residence during owner's absence; best references. 936 Fourth ave.

A THOROUGHLY Reliable Matrimonial Association. For particulars send stamped envelope to "The Western Correspondence Institute," 1077½ Market st., San Francisco, Cal. c

IN exchange for lady's or gentleman's safety; banjo, mandolin or guitar lessons; instrument included. 630 Fourteenth street. c

HIGHLY respectable and private place to obtain liberal advances on diamonds, jewelry and other articles at lowest rates. Oakland Loan and Jewelry Co., 1016 Washington st.; telephone Pine 491. c

20 Japs attended circle. Darkness and misfortunes vanished. Why is business a failure. How to know one's friends and foe. He talks to the dead. Visit Meeden, noted medium, independent slate writer, Denver House, 986 Washington, corner Eighth. c

POSITIVE and lasting cure for wrinkles—the "Vibratile." See it at 813 Clay st. Cures headache, etc. c

HAVE your hair done in the very latest mode by Lederer; only 25c; hair-cut 25c; longest, 35c; switches, $1 up; Panama Shampoo, 50 pks. G. LEDERER, 123 Stockton street.

LEDERER gives not that finish that is the perfection of high art in hairdressing; price 25c; switches $1 up; Sundays and holidays 9 to 12 A. M. G. Lederer, 123 Stockton st., San Francisco.

NO EXCUSE FOR BALD HEADS—Free of charge, every Wednesday morning, Dr. McLean, greatest scalp specialist on this coast, will diagnose diseases of the scalp at our parlors. Ladies and gentlemen cordially invited. Terms reasonable. P. Woolbery & Co., 1118 Washington st., Oakland, hairdressing and shampooing. c

LEONARD S. CLARK, counsellor-at-law. Consultation free evenings at residence, 851 Jackson st., Oakland. c

FACE MASSAGE and scalp rubbing; shampooing, manicuring, hair dressing, switch making. Miss Stella Gallagher, Abrahamson building, contractor Thirteenth st., room 1, elevator. Res. tel., brown 685 Oakland. c

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

DR. D. D. CROWLEY will remove his offices to the Central Bank building on Monday, May 22, 1899.

DR. C. C. SHINNICK (associate of Dr. A. E. Small), office and residence 804 Trata st.; hours 8 to 10 A. M. and 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M.; telephone red 541; Oakland.

DR. A. K. CRAWFORD—Senior professor theory and practice of medicine, Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, Chicago. Office and residence, 772 Twelfth st., cor. West. Telephone green 871.

DR. ALFRED SANDER—Physician and Surgeon, 2¾3 Santa Clara ave., Alameda; telephone black 311. Office hours, 3 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

DENTISTS' DIRECTORY.

DR. GEO. W. LEEK, 22 O'Farrell, extracts or fills teeth painlessly by his wonderfully secret method; crowns $2; metal or flexible plates $3; bridges $4; received 3 first prizes; no students; lady attendant; guarantee 12 years.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S.—Dental parlors, 1162½ Broadway, rooms 14-16, Union National Bank building, Oakland, Cal.

COLTON DENTAL ASSOCIATION, 806 Market st., S. F.—Specialty: "Colton Gas" for painless extracting. DR. C. W. DECKER.

FULL SET OF TEETH, $5; fillings 25c, 25k gold crowns $3; gold bridges $5; plates repaired; painless extraction guaranteed. N. Y. Dentists, 969 Mission st., San Francisco.

A FULL SET OF TEETH, $5; painless extracting; see our combination plate; thin as paper; warranted 10 years; teeth without plates; crown and bridge work our specialty; teeth implanted or transplanted; fillings, 50c; crowns, $3.50; all work painless and warranted. Chicago Dental Parlors, 24 Sixth st., S. F.

CHIROPODIST.

DR. H. SCHWARZ, Surgeon, Chiropodist, cures corns, bunions, chilblains, eczema, ingrown and club-nails; no pain (immediate relief). 1065 Washington.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

COTTON BROS. & CO., bridge builders and general contractors, engineers and builders of all kinds of bridge work; pile driving and wharf building. 473½ Tenth st., Oakland; telephone 813.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

TO LET—Four furnished rooms; no children. 755 Eleventh st. n

TWO neatly furnished front rooms, suitable for light housekeeping or for gentlemen. Call 817 Jackson, cor. Sixth. n

FURNISHED SUITE—Sitting room, bedroom, kitchen; central; $8. 646 Telegraph. n

SUNNY Front Room for light housekeeping; furnished; 315 Tenth street. n

$5 A MONTH—Sunny front rooms facing Broadway. The Colonial, 2d and Broadway. n

TWO neat, sunny front furnished rooms to let cheap. 520 Eighth st., near Washington. n

FURNISHED Rooms, for offices, housekeeping suites, $10.00, gas stoves. 1010½ Washington street. No children. n

THE COLONIAL—416 Broadway, rooms and board, $4 to $4.50 per week. n

FOR RENT cheap to adults, upper part of house; three large rooms and alcove; bay window; nice grate; porcelain bath; sink; large hall; plenty of sun; nice locality; references exchanged. 852 Oak street. n

A LARGE furnished room, one or two gentlemen or man and wife; use of kitchen; small family. 1113 Tenth st., two blocks from railroad. n

TWO completely furnished housekeeping rooms, with gas range; also good table board and room for one or two gentlemen. 1011 Webster st. n

TWO SUITES furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 515 Tenth st. n

THE GLENWOOD, 1105 Washington st., cor 11th, Oakland, renovated and refurnished. Elegant furnished and unfurnished rooms, fine offices, in business center; all street car lines converge to this point; convenient to leading churches and theaters; public library, City Hall and park opposite; phone, Green 414. Mrs. M. E. Williamson, propr. n

NICE SUNNY ROOMS, single or en suite; rates reduced; quiet and homelike. 571 Thirteenth st. n

NICE furnished rooms to rent; suitable for housekeeping; with bath; convenient to broad and narrow gauge trains. Apply on the premises, southeast corner Franklin and Eighth sts. No. 870 Franklin. n

FURNISHED or unfurnished sunny rooms, also office rooms, over Oakland bank, 1051 Broadway. n

HOUSEKEEPING rooms; gas stoves; strictly family apartments. Hammond House, 407 San Pablo ave. n

HANDSOME sunny rooms, single or en suite; housekeeping if desired; at 1955 Washington st. n

ROOMS complete for housekeeping; modern; near both locals. 421 Sixth. Rent reduced. n

FRONT SUITS, well furnished, for rent, permanent; very reasonable. Brunswick Hotel.

NEW and handsomely furnished rooms; also housekeeping. 1110½ Broadway. n

THREE or four nice sunny rooms, furnished or unfurnished; fine location; near both local trains and Lake Merritt; reasonable. Address M. E. R., box 8, Tribune office.

FOR RENT—Four large furnished rooms for housekeeping. 619 Nineteenth st. n

ALAMEDA OFFICE Oakland Tribune—1503 Park st., near Santa Clara ave.; advertisements and subscriptions received.

HOTEL SHASTA, 1220 Broadway, next to Postoffice; sunny rooms, $4 to $10; housekeeping $16 to $12; transient 25c to $1; large unfurnished room. n

LARGE sunny furnished and unfurnished rooms at 521 Broadway, Wilcox block. Mrs. W. R. Brown, proprietress.

CHANGED HANDS—967 and 975 Washington street; strictly respectable; dining rooms newly furnished; also housekeeping rooms; gas, running water. n

THE GRAYSTONE—418 Twelfth st.; nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite; also furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

AN ELEGANT furnished parlor, with kitchen, cheap; also sunny suit complete for housekeeping. 535 Twenty-fourth street. n

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, sunny and convenient. 565 Sixteenth st. n

IF YOU are looking for very clean and sunny rooms you can find them at the Brunswick Hotel; terms very reasonable. n

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—House 7 rooms; bath; a bargain; lot 50 ft or more x 75. Call 1208 Seventeenth avenue, East Oakland. s

ALAMEDA OFFICE Oakland Tribune—1503 Park st., near Santa Clara ave.; advertisements and subscriptions received.

FOR SALE—New, modern 6-room house, large lot, fine location; street work all done; bargain. Apply at 685 32d st. morning or evening.

TO LET-HOUSES UNFURNISHED

FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, rent in exchange for painting and paper hanging. King's Real Estate, 457 Ninth, near Broadway. l

FOR RENT—July 1st, a house of nine rooms and bath, on Franklin st., near local trains and street car lines; rent reasonable. Apply at 408 Twentieth st. l

FOR RENT.

$15—Modern 6 r. cottage.
$17—6 r. cottage, central.
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NEWLY renovated offices; rent reasonable; electric elevator. Abrahamson building, corner Washington and Thirteenth sts. k

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GOOD BOARD, with or without rooms. 948 Tenth street. q

AN INVALID LADY wants board and care in a quiet private family; references required. Call from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. Mrs. H. J. Anderson, 716 Brush street. q

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GROCERY store in good location. Address W., this office. n

100 LOTS Beds and Couches, suitable for home or camp use, twenty-five bedroom suits, now landing at H. Schellhaas' store, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets. x

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$750—Building 26x40; lot 50x120.
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$1,100—Two 5-room flats; rents $12.
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$1,850—8-room house, all furnished; rents $22; 50 feet front.
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Properties near San Pablo avenue at less than auction prices. Ranches and city properties for exchange.

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A FIRST-CLASS dressmaker would like a few more engagements by the day. Price, $1.50. Address Dressmaker, 1269 Franklin street.

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WANTED—Situation in Catholic family by first class cook; references. 419½ Tenth st.; call for three days. e

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ATTORNEYS.

CHAPMAN & CLIFT—Attorneys-at-Law, 905 Broadway, Oakland; telephone 836.

FREDERICK E. WHITNEY, Attorney-at-Law, removed to 921 Broadway rooms 17 and 18; phone red 3,660.

B. H. GRIFFINS—Attorney-at-Law, r'ms 8 and 9, fifth floor, Mills Building, San Francisco.

STREET, J. F., Attorney, 808 Broadway, rooms 10 and 11; telephone blue 324.

C. H. TEBBS, Attorney-at-Law, 1008½ Broadway, rooms 26-27.

HAROLD L. MARTIN, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 15 and 16, 921 Broadway.

BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott bldg., San Francisco. Telephone Jessie 501.

A. A. MOORE—Attorney-at-Law, rooms 32 and 34 seventh floor. Mills building, San Francisco. Telephone 3351 red.

A. L. & P. C. Black—Attorneys-at-Law, Room No. 6, 557 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., with John Yule.

PHIL M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, City Justices' Court building, SE corner Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, Livermore, California; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, Dingee block, N. W. cor. Eighth and Broadway.

FOX & GRAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 967 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & Shaw, Law Office, 969 Broadway, rooms 49, 50 and 51.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, 522 Broadway, over Union Sav'gs Bank.

NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, 501 Broadway.

HARRY W. PULCIFER, Attorney-at-Law, 957 Broadway, rooms 22, 23.

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LOST—Fine lace handkerchief, Wednesday evening, on Clay street or at Oakland High School. Return to 513 William street, near Telegraph avenue. Reward. r

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Corner lot, well located, in Golden Gate, 200x125, at your own price; make offer.
160 lots near Elmhurst, splendid soil, all level and easy terms; price $125; $10 cash, bal. $5 per month.
Five acre tract, rich level land, suitable for fruit, vegetables or berries, about four miles from Oakland, cheap; make offer; small cash payment, bal. easy terms.
Five room cottage, small barn, lot 25x125, can easily make this a ten room house; price $1,250; bank loan on property of $1,000.
Large three story eight room modern house with tower lot 50x100, Latham Terrace, East Oakland; price $3,500; your own terms.
Will sell you a lot on Myrtle st. near Twentieth and build house to suit upon small cash payment.
Lot 40x120, seven room house, barn, good well, chicken yards, etc., near electric cars, twenty minutes from Oakland; price $1,100.
Lot 25x100, three minutes' walk from Broadway and Tenth st., nine room modern house; $3,250.
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Four acre ranch near San Leandro, in fruit, six room house, tank, windmill and large barn, buildings cost the price asked; $4,000.
Two five room flats in West Oakland, near train; $1,200.
400 acres in El Dorado county, good farm house, small orchard and outbuildings. 150 acres plow land, 60 acres now in grain, three miles from railroad station, the cheapest ranch in State; $2,500.
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Three room cottage, lot 50x150, Elmhurst; $450.
Five room cottage, lot 80x120, Fruitvale; $750.
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Well located cigar stand; must sell on account of sickness.
Most centrally located butcher shop, ice house, marble top counters, in fact all the latest improvements; $1,000.
General merchandise store in good town on railroad, 70 miles from San Francisco, will inventory $5,000; must sell on account of death in family; $3,500.
$20,000 to loan on good real estate in Oakland.
640 acre stock ranch in Napa county, cheap, will exchange; $15,000.
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$1,200—Modern two story cottage, eight rooms; lot 25x100; and key lot 25x100, $250; cash; foreclosure.
$2,000—Lot 50x100; modern house, seven rooms; desirable residence locality, near local and electric; $250 cash; foreclosure.
$4,250—Lovely home overlooking Lake Merritt; view unsurpassed; new house, nine rooms; lot 100x120; street work done; very cheap; easy terms.
$3,000—Very central house, six rooms; lot 40x125; attractive home.
$1,550—Modern cottage, five large rooms; near San Pablo ave.; lot 25x140; $250 cash.
$7,000—Appraised value in estate $12,600; beautiful home, N. E. cor. lot 125x125; house ten rooms, furnace, stable, fine grounds and ornamental trees; surrounding improvements the best; $2,000 cash; improvements cost over $7,000.
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$900 TO LOAN on improved real estate.
FOR SALE—Choice building lot, 37½x110½ feet, S. E. corner E. 23d st. and Orange ave.; one block from electric car line; on 23d ave., Oakland.
FOR SALE—25-acre orchard; 11 acres prunes, 11 acres almonds; house; orchard of choice variety of fruits and nuts, including 27 orange trees; house, barn, windmill, 10,000 gallon tank; one mile from railroad station; price $4,500, with present crop; 1½ hours' ride from Oakland.
FOR SALE—Mining property, 9 miles from Grant's Pass, Josephine county, Oregon; vein 3 feet wide, cabin, five-stamp mill; ore mills $10 per ton free gold.
FOR SALE—To close estate: corner lot 125x125 feet, in choice residence section of Oakland; house 10 rooms, furnace, stable, fine grounds; improvements cost $7,000; will sell at a bargain; $2,000 cash, balance on time.
FOR SALE—20 acres of land 9 miles from Riverside; price $500; choice orange land.
FOR SALE—At a bargain; choice building lots 37½x110; 24 feet; corner of East 23d st. and Orange ave.; to close an estate.

Apply to A. W. BISHOP, Oakland, 906 Broadway, Room 72.

WANTED—Good building lots, with street work done; in good location; would purchase one-half or whole block, or single lots if cheap. Alden Co., 902 Broadway.

AT BED-ROCK—Fine, large lots in Keller's Rose Park, Piedmont ave., near Moss ave.; terms to suit. Save commission and see P. J. Keller on the premises.

FOR SALE—On East Twenty-seventh st., Highland Park, lot 80x140 feet; street work completed; one of the best building sites on the street and commands a fine view; no reasonable offer refused to effect immediate sale. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland. u

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FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture or any kind of merchandise than you can get from any dealer or private party. J. A. Munro & Co., Auctioneers, 1517-19 Park st., Alameda; tel. 423 red. j

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WANTED—Piano, safe, carpets, curtains, etc., also surrey team, etc., for board at summer hotel near Colfax. A. T., room 200, Safe Deposit Building, San Francisco, Cal. j

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$3,000—Cost over $9,500. Four blocks of Washington st.; elegant new modern two story residence; two years old; ten rooms; six bed chambers; elegant billiard or banquet room; entire first story having inlaid floors; four mantels; gas radiators; solid porcelain bath-tub, weighing 800 pounds; everything else accordingly; choice central location; large sunny lot; mortgage $4,000, balance cash.

$2,750—Eight acres near Mills College; house, barn, windmill, some fruit. Former price $8,000; mortgage $1,000, can remain; wants cash.
$3,500—$250 to $500 cash; lovely new two story seven room house; sunny; thirty-five foot lot; just finished; porcelain bath; nickel plumbing; reception hall; front, back and basement stairways; Adeline station.

$2,000—$250 cash; modern five room cottage, Fourteenth and Magnolia; foreclosure; bargain; sold once for $3,500.

$12,000—Suburban home; 25 acres; fruit; good improvements, having every convenience; cost a well known Oakland capitalist $25,000; good reasons for selling.

$7,500—Tenth and Linden; elegant twelve room residence, with furnace and every interior appointment; no better constructed home in Oakland; cost $12,000 to build; a great sacrifice; architecture up-to-date; must sell; terms easy.

$5,250—A lovely seven room home; near Thirteenth and Grove; sunny and pleasant.

$8,000—Ten room modern residence; Alice street north of Fourteenth; large lot; choice surroundings.
$4,400—Corner store and flat; Telegraph avenue; always rented $40 per month; owner once refused $5,250 through our office.

$3,800—Suburban corner house eight rooms, 150x150; Piedmont cable line; choice shrubberies in abundance; must sell; terms to suit.

$9,000 and $12,000—Two of the loveliest homes in Fruitvale; each at a double sacrifice; these are $20,000 and $25,000 properties.

4¾ acres, $3,000—In city limits; lovely home site; bargain; will take $1,500; building lot west of Market street as part payment.

$2,100—1½ story; seven room cottage; fifty foot lot; snap; cost $3,500.

$3,300—$200 cash, rather than rent; a new ideal colonial seven room cottage; choice prominent location.

$4,000—Worth $5,000; new nine room residence; three mantels; lot 50x168; with stable; near Telegraph avenue; mortgage $2,500; will sacrifice for immediate sale; see this.

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FROM $100 UPWARD. Du Ray Smith, Searcher of Records and N. P., 459 9th.

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LOANS to salaried people; no security except name. New Era Loan Co., room 25, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland. z

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OFFICERS OF ATHENS PARLOR.

Native Sons Will Give a Big Banquet on Tuesday.

Athens Parlor No. 195, Native Sons of the Golden West, held a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting in Fraternal Hall on Tuesday evening, it being the annual election of officers for the ensuing term. The election was warmly contested, there being three or four candidates for each office, particularly the office of trustee. There were some eight or ten candidates seeking this position.

The result was as follows: Past president, Milton G. Perkins; president, William E. Dean; first vice-president, Richard J. Montgomery; second vice-president, Augustus B. Champion; third vice-president, Charles A. Lefevre; secretary, Peach H. Dean; treasurer, Franklin A. Losh; trustee, Julius A. Evers; surgeons, Drs. J. L. Milton, B. F. McElroy and D. Huntington.

The installation of officers will probably take place the first Tuesday evening in July.

Next Tuesday evening, June 13th, Athens Parlor will give a banquet in honor of President Milton G. Perkins, who has been favored by the grand president with the office of district deputy grand president for Alameda county, and for that occasion the parlor has secured the Native Sons' band of San Francisco of forty pieces, and the degree team from Alcalde parlor.

The latter will confer the degree on a number of members of this parlor. Invitations have been extended to Oakland, Piedmont, Brooklyn, Alameda, Halcyon, Washington, Eden and Las Positas parlors, as well as the grand officers and many prominent officials of Oakland.

The committee in charge of the affair for next Tuesday evening promise to give the Native Sons of Alameda county and their visitors a splendid time and with that end in view have spared neither time nor money to make the occasion one long to be remembered. The members of the parlor will meet and escort the visitors from San Francisco at Seventh and Broadway at 8:30 P. M. and march to Fraternal Hall, where the banquet will take place. The Committee of Arrangements for that evening consists of W. E. Dean, R. J. Montgomery, C. A. Lefevre, Peach Dean and J. N. Fogarty. Every Native Son in Alameda county is authorized to invite himself and be present next Tuesday evening, and Athens assures him he will not regret it.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Henry Abel has brought suit to recover $4,500 from Paula S. Higuera and others on a promissory note.

The estate of Jose B. Costa, deceased, has been appraised at $1,247.

Mary A. Fox has applied for letters of administration on the estate of James H. Fox, deceased.

The plaintiffs in the action of the Fidelity Building & Loan Association have filed notice of motion for a new trial.

A piece of property on Seventh and Union streets belonging to the estate of Winifred Curtis, deceased, has been sold to A. A. De Mars for $900.

Mariana George has applied for permission to sell real estate belonging to the estate of Maria M. Santos, deceased.

C. H. Bettinger has filed his appointment of Deputy Constable of Brooklyn Township.

A decree has been handed down settling the final account of distribution of the estate of George T. Morse, deceased.

W. A. Young has been appointed a Deputy Sheriff without pay.

Thomas C. Huxley and Frank Otis have applied for letters of guardianship of Frederick W. Mowry, who was recently admitted to an insane asylum.

Nellie L. Curtain has been appointed guardian of the person and estate of Gladys Dewy Curtain, a minor.

Ernest S. Wilkins has filed his appointment as a Deputy Constable of Brooklyn Township.

The steamer Ocean Wave is docked at the shipyards on the estuary for repairs. The vessel will be thoroughly renovated and put in first-class shape. Then it will be put on the valley road run between Dumbarton Point and San Francisco. It is said the Ocean Wave is a very fast steamer.

Oakland Alliance Picnic.

The annual picnic of Oakland Alliance No. 5, St. P. A. of A., will take place on Sunday next, 11th inst., at Glenwood, in the Santa Cruz mountains. It is not necessary to say that No. 5 has a reputation for giving the finest and most orderly excursions that leave Oakland, and the great demand for tickets is evidence that the people anticipate the usual good time on this occasion. The committee have now completed every arrangement conducive to the comfort and enjoyment of all. Trains will leave the narrow gauge depot, Fourteenth and Franklin streets, at 8:45 A. M., stopping at Park street, Alameda. The music for the occasion will be furnished by Homier's concert band.

RAILROAD MEN WEST OAKLAND.

Notes of Interest for the People Who Labor for the Southern Pacific.

Freight traffic with the Southern Pacific Company is excellent. It may be said that this is an unusually brisk year. There is a demand for freight cars both going East and coming West. The rolling stock of the company is kept in constant use carrying the heavy freight both ways.

There are several factors which go to make up this increase in freighting. In the first place, there is a growing demand in the East for California products, particularly in lumber and fruits. The demand for California redwood lumber during the last year has grown very strong. This is especially so in regard to shingles and redwood ties. Car loads of these products are being shipped daily. The durability and cheapness of the redwood shingle has caused a stiff market for it.

The lumber is shipped from various points on the coast. Mendocino county is one of the principal points of shipping. Steamers are arriving every day or two with loads of lumber. This is transferred to cars and shipped to various destinations.

The sugar trade has also brought into requisition a large amount of rolling stock. This product comes from the Hawaiian Islands. The sugar is loaded at Long Wharf. For this purpose the largest and best cars are necessary. If any rain happens to leak through a car roof the sugar is damaged and a loss entailed upon the company. To prevent this occurrence, all the cars are given a thorough inspection and cleaning before being loaded. They are also overhauled by a force of men from the repair shops before they re allowed to be shipped. When a car leaves it is in perfect repair. "Tin-roofed" cars only are used for this freight.

The sugar season opened about the first of February. It will continue until October. From the beginning of the season up to the present time over 55,000 tons of sugar have been handled. To bring the sugar from the Islands, fifty-three ships have been used. They arrive at Long Wharf on an average of about one a day. A large force of men is kept on hand and as soon as a ship arrives its freight is rapidly transferred to cars for shipment East. Each sack is inspected and checked as it leaves the ship, the railroad being responsible for the cargo after it is transferred to the cars. The principal destination of the sugar is New York. Shipments are made, however, to all parts of the United States.

The principal ship lines plying between Oakland and the Islands are those of William Diamond & Company, J. D. Spreckles & Brother, Welch & Company and Alexander & Baldwin.

After the sugar cars arrive at their destination they are reloaded with different goods and returned to the Coast. The demand for American made articles in the Islands and in the Far East facilitates this plan. At present there is a large demand for machinery and pipe in the Hawaiian Islands. This freight is loaded in the East and shipped here. It is then loaded on vessels sailing to the Islands.

As a result of this exchange of goods between the East and the West there are very few "empties" carried in trains going either way.

Besides the extra shipments that are being made there is the regular routine business that comes every year. The fruit season is now beginning to make things lively. Peaches, apples, plums and pears are being shipped from various points. There is also a large run in vegetables of all kinds. These shipments, with the steady merchandise freight, keep things active in the West Oakland yards. While it has not yet been necessary to increase the force of men, they have all they can do to handle the business.

There has also been a picking up this week. Several large consignments have come in from different parts of the State and from Nevada. Most of the stock is consigned to the large meat firms in San Francisco, such as the Western Meat Company, Miller & Lux, B. Horn and B. Sales. The shipments are pretty evenly divided between cattle, sheep and hogs.

Alaska is taking considerable freight this year. The development of the country and increase in the population has caused a market for a large amount of supplies. Besides food and provisions, a large amount of machinery is being shipped. This week the steamer Bertha left with twenty car loads of supplies. This is a good showing for the early part of the season. As soon as the thaw comes in Alaska it is expected that the traffic to that part of the country will be heavy.

The company has been laying in an extra supply of coal this year. It is being shipped from points on the Coast and from Australia. Heretofore the piling of coal in the yards has been restricted to the yards west of the locomotive shops. This season large heaps of the fuel are being made in other parts of the yard. In what is know as the tie pile there are a number of these large heaps.

This provision is very necessary. The amount of coal consumed in operating the road daily is enormous. Each engine on the road consumes several tons daily. The ferry boats consume about fifty tons each daily.

At Long Wharf a large force of men are kept busy loading and unloading the freight that is going and coming. There is hardly a day passes but some ship drops anchor at the wharf with a cargo of some kind.

Yesterday the Washtenaw finished unloading about 4,700 tons of coal brought from Tacoma. The John Ena from Australia has just unloaded 4,200 tons of Pacific Co-operative coal. The Mackinaw is due from Tacoma with a cargo of coal. She is expected to arrive daily. The Transit has just loaded a cargo of pipe and machinery for the Hawaiian Islands. The Port Albert is another coaler from Australia with a large cargo.

There has been several consignments of horses lately for the government. Some of the animals are destined for Manila. Others go to different parts of the State.

Among the recent shipments of lumber are about 4,000,000 feet of hardwood and pine to the Spring Valley Water Works at Sunol, Niles and Pleasanton. Large shipments have also been made to Ogden.

The steamer Norfolk on its last trip brought a large cargo of the finest quality of redwood lumber from Mendocino county.

In the mills the work is more than ordinarily active on account of the recent burning of the shops in Sacramento. The work that was formerly done in Sacramento is now being done in the West Oakland shops. The force of men in this department has been increased about 2 per cent. There are about 100 now at work.

D. Robertson, superintendent of the maintenance and way department has under construction a new invention in the way of a concrete mixer. The original mixer has been shipped from the works of the Drake Standard Machine Company of Chicago. The mixer as it is turned out from the foundry is made to mix the concrete by hand power. Mr. Robertson is applying an invention of his own which will automatically mix the concrete. The gravel, rock and cement will be placed in a receiver. Thence it will be carried by conveyors automatically to the mixing trough. This will do away with the use of hand power and will add greatly to the capacity of the machine to turn out the concrete. It is estimated that by the application of the automatic system enough concrete can be made daily to lay seventy-five square yards of surface.

The mixer will be completed this week and will soon be at work on San Pablo avenue. It will be built on trucks so that it can be moved to any place where concrete work is to be done. It will be of great advantage in the filling in of rock walls in piers where a large amount of concrete is necessary.

Among the other pieces of the work which Mr. Robertson has on hand is the construction of a steel bridge at Herndone in Fresno county. This will be one of the largest bridges built on the road. The steel comes from the East. The lumber and wood work is provided from this State.

Work is steady in the car repairing department. Travel has continued good and there is the usual number of coaches to be cleaned and got ready for their trips East. There has been no recent changes in the force of men employed.

The principal event which is talked of in the department is the resignation of Henry Watkins, foreman of the freight car repairing department.

Mr. Watkins has been employed in the car department for over twenty years. He is one of the most efficient and popular men in the employ of the company. His resignation is much regretted by all of the men. He will take a position with the National Car Equipment Company in which Assistant Division Superintendent J. H. Thompson is interested.

No successor has yet been named to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Watkins' resignation.

In Foreman Hamin's branch of the car department work continues about the same. He is at work now in rebuilding coach 1615 of the Berkeley local line. There are a number of Seventh street local coaches waiting their turn for an overhauling. The shops are thoroughly equipped to construct a coach complete if necessary.

In the locomotive department engines 1406 and 1348 were turned out yesterday after having undergone some repairs in the shops.

The call for engines is about normal at present. As soon as the heavy shipments of wheat begin, several extra engines will be required. This is expected soon. Already one engine has been sent to the Clear Lake division, near Vacaville, to haul wheat.

An endless subscription chain is being circulated among the railroad men for the purpose of raising a fund to erect a monument to the heroes of the Maine and Cuban army. Each man who receives a letter is asked to forward ten cents to Allen R. Blackwell of 80 Nassau street, New York and make four copies to give to his friends. Lieutenant Hobson is named as having started the chain.

A new barge is in course of construction in the ship department. Shipbuilder Bruce has about seventy-five men employed on this work and the repairing of the barge Oroville.

The new barge will be completed about August. It will ply between points on the Sacramento River and carry fruits and vegetables. Its dimensions will be 175 x 37 x 5½ feet. It will have a draught of twenty inches.

The Oroville has also been running on the Sacramento River. It was brought down for some needed repairs which will be completed in about a month. About forty extra men have been employed in the ship department.

A party of railroad men and friends took a yachting trip on the bay Sunday. The party consisted of W. W. Morrison, chief clerk in the freight office, James Wainwright of the freight office, George Gaither of the yard office, Mrs. Morrison, Miss Gaither, Miss Stetson, and Miss Scribner.

The trip was begun early in the morning. The yacht U and I was secured for the day. After visiting various points of interest around the bay the party landed at Paradise Cove for lunch. A pleasant hour was spent at this place. The feature of the lunch was some crab salad prepared by Mr. Morrison. Everyone pronounced his effort a great success. The party returned in the afternoon delighted with the outing.

The yard office has lost one of its most popular and congenial men. This is John Harrington, or "Doc" Harrington as he is better known. On Decoration Day Mr. Harrington was married to Miss Virgie Able of Tracy. At his request he was transferred from West Oakland to Tracy, where he now holds the position of yard master.

The employes in the office showed their appreciation of the groom by presenting him with a set of China as a wedding present.

C. C. Troth of Tracy has been transferred to West Oakland to take the place left vacant by Mr. Harrington.

James Wainright of the freight office is taking a two weeks' vacation.

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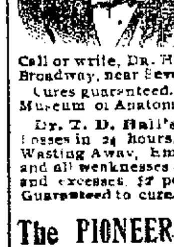

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vs.
GEORGE G. BAKER, FRANCES C. BAKER, JEPPE JORGENSEN, WALTER F. LEWIS and GEORGE W. REED, Defendants.
No. 14,794. Dept. 3.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1899, in the above entitled action, wherein The Union Savings Bank, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against George G. Baker, Frances C. Baker, Jeppe Jorgensen, Walter F. Lewis and George W. Reed, defendants, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1899, in the aggregate sum of nine hundred and one 05-100 ($901.05) dollars, in gold coin of the United States, including principal, interest, taxes paid, counsel fees and costs of suit, besides accruing interest, costs and expense of sale, which said judgment and decree was on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1899, entered in Judgment Book 38 of said Court, at page 136, I am commanded to sell the mortgaged property according to law, the description and particular boundaries of the real estate and property authorized to be sold under and by virtue of this decree, so far as the same can be ascertained from the mortgage herein referred to, or from the complaint filed in this action, are as follows, to-wit.

Lots numbers 47 and 48 in block number 24; lots numbers 8 and 9 in block "E"; lots numbers 16 and 17 in block number 21; and lots numbers 5 and 8 and the west one-half of lot number 6 in block number 25, as the same are delineated and so designated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Re-Subdivision of Smith's Subdivision of the Mathews Tract," filed October 18th, 1889, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county. The same being the balance of said premises described in said mortgage after the releases made and given as described in said complaint.

Public notice is hereby given that on

SATURDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1899,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., May 25th, 1899.

A. W. BISHOP.

A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

P. C. BLACK, Plaintiff's Attorney.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Kate Warham, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Kate Warham, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Chester T. Smythe, attorney for said estate, 906 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Kate Warham, deceased.

ROBERT F. WARHAM,

Administrator of the estate of Kate Warham, deceased.

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FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1899.

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name, or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 3rd, 1899, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1899.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

POLL TAX MUST BE PAID ON DEMAND.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1899 is now due and payable at my office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN JULY,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Delina Mowry, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will (consisting of a will and a codicil thereto) of Delina Mowry, deceased, and for the issuance to Marion L. Mowry and Joseph C. Mowry of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this court, and that Monday, the twelfth day of June, A. D., 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of Department No. 4 of said court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated May 27th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.

(Seal.)

FRANK OTIS, Attorney for Petitioners, No. 715 Claus Spreckels Building, San Francisco.

Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not Be Made.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Corinne M. Braun, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the said Court by the petition this day presented and filed by Francis A. Braun, the administrator of the estate of Corinne M. Braun, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased and the debts, expenses and charges of administration.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the City of Oakland, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the administrator to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda County.

Dated May 15, 1899.

S. P. HALL,
Judge of the Superior Court.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John L. Shiman, deceased

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John L. Shiman, deceased, and for the issuance to Johanna J. Shimon of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 19th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, June 7th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.
NYE & KINSELL, 861 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., Attorneys for Petitioner.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary B. Hoyt, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary B. Hoyt, deceased, and for issuance to B. C. Hawes of letters of administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated May 27, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.
SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for petitioner, 922 Broadway, Oakland.

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CHICAGO WARS ON CONSUMPTION

Planning for a Rigid Inspection of all Milk.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Public war on tuberculosis was formally declared last night when the Chicago Veterinary Society at a meeting decided to take the initiative in the crusade against the scourge. To that end the society called a joint conference of the veterinarians and physicians of Chicago to meet on Wednesday, June 21st, at a place to be decided upon after it is determined whether the public shall be admitted. Mayor Harrison, Governor Tanner and the Aldermen will be admitted. The purpose of the meeting will be to form specific plans for the prevention of the sale of milk in the Chicago market that is not known to have come from non-tuberculous cows.

A committee was appointed to confer with the Chicago Medical Society and other institutions in reference to the details of the conference. The papers to be read at the conference are to be confined to the subject of regulating the sale of milk, with a view of exterminating the source of tuberculous milk. The veterinarians will advocate legislation for the inspection of the cows that supply the Chicago market.

The plan that stood most in favor at the meeting was that suggested by Dr. E. L. Quitman. He said: "It is necessary that we induce the City Council to take action for the appointment of at least sixty cow inspectors. The inspectors shall then give licenses to such owners whose cows are found to be non-tuberculous. The cows shall be tested every three months. The city shall appoint as many milk depots for the inspection of incoming shipments of milk as are deemed necessary. Every can of milk that is shipped into the city shall bear upon it the number of the shipper's license."

Judge Smith's Outing.

Judge Smith will leave this evening for Lake city, Lake county, where he will have an outing of ten days. His family will return with him. During his absence Judge Quinn will occupy the bench in the Police Court.

Louis Imhaus, who was a resident of Oakland at one time, is now playing the part of the Frenchman in "The Turtle," which will be the attraction at the Macdonough tomorrow evening.

COUNCILMAN CUVELLIER ROASTS GOLDEN GATE PEOPLE.

THE TROUBLE IS ALL OVER A FIRE ENGINE.

Oakland, June 8, 1899.

F. A. Strong, Esq., Secretary Golden Gate Improvement Club—Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 2d inst., conveying to me in my capacity of Chairman of the Fire and Water Committee of the Oakland City Council the information that it is the unanimous sentiment of your club that the necessities of your district require a steam fire engine, and that a chemical would be entirely inadequate.

Permit me to say that I am entirely in accord with your organization on that proposition. If you people want a steam fire engine I believe that you should have one. But I beg to remind you that I am only one out of eleven Councilmen, although that does not signify that there may not be a few others who think the same as I do on this subject. Then again, you must not forget that the kind of fire apparatus which you will receive will in all probability depend upon the recommendation of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, who are also the members of the Board of Public Works, composed of the Mayor, City Attorney and City Engineer.

Last evening, at the meeting of the Fire and Water Committee, and in the presence of many of the other Councilmen and of his honor the Mayor, I caused your letter to be read for their information and guidance. IN THE GENERAL DISCUSSION WHICH ENSUED IT WAS SOON MADE MANIFEST THAT THE MAJORITY OF THOSE PRESENT WERE OF THE OPINION THAT YOU PEOPLE OUT IN GOLDEN GATE DO NOT REALIZE KNOW WHAT IS BEST FOR YOURSELVES, THAT YOU THINK YOU WANT A STEAM FIRE ENGINE, BUT THAT WHAT YOU REALLY NEED IS A CHEMICAL ENGINE, AND THAT THERE IS A VAST DIFFERENCE BETWEEN WHAT YOU THINK AND WHAT YOU NEED.

OF COURSE WE ARE ALL ACTUATED BY AN EARNEST DESIRE TO DO WHAT WE REALLY THINK IS BEST FOR YOU, AND NOT TO ALLOW OURSELVES TO BE PREJUDICED BY WHAT YOU MAY THINK, UNLESS YOU MAY HAPPEN TO THINK THE SAME WAY AS WE DO.

The fact that before election we told you that it would be our policy to give you what you wanted, in so far as circumstances would permit, is something that we think you should not be constantly reminding us of, because it puts us in a peculiarly awkward position and makes some of us feel decidedly uncomfortable. YOU SEEM TO FORGET THAT THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ENDED ON ELECTION DAY.

However, at the next regular meeting of the Council, I intend to introduce a resolution which I have already had prepared and which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids and award a contract for the purchase of a steam fire engine and one hose wagon with ladder attachment, the same to be placed in the recently annexed district."

What the ultimate fate of this resolution will be I do not like to predict, as I do not desire to make you all feel sad, but my advice to your club is to use all your persuasive and hypnotic powers with his honor the Mayor, if you want to get that steam engine, because this is going to be a thoroughly harmonious administration, and whatever the Mayor says "goes." At least, it looks that way now. I have the honor to remain, dear sir, yours sincerely,

S. C. CUVELLIER, Councilman.

CUBANS PLOT A DASTARDLY ACT.

Will Use the Torch if Not Allowed to Run Things.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The Herald says: In a private letter received from a distinguished Cuban, now a resident of the United States, is a most sensational statement about the plans of the irreconcilable Cuban leaders. The writer is conservative and is in a position to know what is going on at present in Cuba.

The information is as follows:

"The latest story from Cuba, which I have every reason to believe, having been told me by a prominent Cuban whose intimacy with the leaders in Havana lends authority to the statement, is that the former revolutionary element has decided to make a virtue of necessity and gracefully, to outward appearances, accept American intervention.

"At the end of two years, however, if Cuban independence is not acknowledged and the government transferred to the Cubans, the torch is to be applied from one end of the island to the other, by which means all foreign investments will be destroyed. When it is considered that the wealth of Cuba is dependent on agricultural developments, chiefly cane and tobacco, and that a fire brand maliciously applied in a dry cane field would cause the destruction of thousands of dollars of value in a single night, the enormity of the plot becomes apparent."

A HOTEL FOR WOMEN ONLY

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Within two weeks Chicago will have a hotel conducted by women and exclusively for women. A ten year lease has been taken on the 100 room hotel building in Michigan avenue known as the Richelieu annex, and for the last six weeks workmen have been putting it in condition for occupancy. When completed it is to be the home for Chicago business women and women travelers who stop over in this city. It will be called the Laurel Club Hotel.

Four women form the directory of the club and will have full management. Women clerks will be employed, and the only men about the place will be porters and other servants to do the heavy work. Companions will be furnished for theater parties and outings, and twice a month an entertainment of a social nature will be given at the house.

HAPPY SEQUEL OF A DIVORCE.

A Husband and Wife Reunited By the War.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 9.—A special to the Chronicle from Highmore, S. D., says: The return to this town of a man and woman divorced five years ago, but who are again husband and wife, adds the last chapter to a romantic story of love and war.

Five years ago Henry Ballantyne and wife of this place agreed to separate. They had been married not quite twelve months. Ballantyne was a prosperous grain buyer, and owned several good farms near Highmore. These he deeded to his wife. The few hundred dollars he was able to scrape together in cash he put in his own pocket and left to begin life afresh in a new locality.

As soon as he had gone his wife sued for a divorce. There was no defense, and a decree was granted. The land given her by her husband she sold to advantage, and by shrewd reinvestments accumulated within the next few years a comfortable fortune.

The past winter she spent in Southern California. On her way home a month ago she stopped temporarily in San Francisco. On the street there one day she met an emaciated figure in army blue, hobbling about with the aid of a heavy cane, in a vain search for employment. It was Ballantyne, discharged from the United States volunteer service and invalided home from the Philippines after a fever which left him in such poor health as to destroy his usefulness as a soldier.

Ballantyne was about to pass his former wife without speaking to her, but she, when she saw his wasted form and miserable condition, felt all her old love for him revive. She hurried him into a carriage and to her hotel, where comfortable quarters, good food and the services of a competent physician soon produced a marked improvement in his health. Last week the two were re-married and have just returned to Highmore together.

WHOLE CLASS SUSPENDED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 8.—A special to the Times-Herald from Crawfordsville, Ind., says:

The capers cut by the Wabash freshmen the other night in papering the chapel with flaming bills, and other buildings with posters and paint, by way of celebrating a baseball victory over the sophomores, has resulted in a suspension of the entire class. Two alleged ringleaders were called to the faculty carpet. One of them (Henry) flatly denied connection with the affair, and was expelled, not so much for the part he had taken as the alleged deceitful course he pursued. The other (Layton) made a clean breast and was suspended indefinitely.

The freshmen held a meeting and waited upon President Burroughs, demanding that the action be rescinded. He explained that the offenders had been punished as individuals rather than as classmen, whereupon the class acknowledged equal guilt with Layton and elected to take the same punishment. Class suspension followed, and all are barred from final examinations. They will probably be reinstated next fall.

JULIA GRANT'S WEDDING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Miss Julia Dent Grant and her mother, Mrs. Frederick D. Grant, arrived in the city last night. Mrs. and Miss Grant will be in Chicago for a week or more, and during that time will be the guests of Mrs. H. H. Honore, 2103 Michigan avenue. Miss Grant was unable to give definite news concerning the approaching wedding with Prince Cantacuzene last night. The wedding will be celebrated some time in the fall, but the exact date or the place of the ceremony has not yet been decided. Miss Grant will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Foster Palmer, at Newport, during a part of the summer, and the rest of the time will be spent visiting friends at the Eastern resorts.

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GRIEVANCES OF THE JAMAICANS.

Bitter Against England and May Seek Annexation.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

Washington officials have an interest in the coming of the Jamaica reciprocity commissioners greater than the trade of the British possession warrants. There is feeling that before they get through these Jamaica commissioners will bring to a focus the whole question of the future of the British West Indies.

They will act nominally in conjunction with the British Embassy, because to do otherwise would not be permitted by the British Foreign Office. Nevertheless, the Jamaicans are apt to prove headstrong. Careful statements are made that their coming has nothing to do with the presence of Sir Cavendish Boyle, who is representing the British Guiana impending negotiations, or with the proposed reciprocity arrangements with Barbadoes. Nevertheless, the idea is prevalent that Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Minister, is hampering Jamaica and that he wants the other dependencies in the West Indies to serve as an offset.

Another intimation is given that if Jamaica does not get along well with the United States she will turn to Canada. The alliance between Canada and the British West Indies has been seriously discussed in the Dominion. It is one of the propositions regularly made whenever the Dominion has trouble with the United States over commercial concessions and the fisheries. Some Montreal capitalists have lately interested themselves in electric light and street railway enterprises in Jamaica, and they are said to be urging a closer union between the Dominion and the islands.

The notion is too whimsical to receive much attention, because neither the fisheries nor the fruit trade afford a basis for either political or commercial union between Canada and Jamaica.

Private letters from Jamaica have recently supplemented published and official reports regarding the depth of the discontent there. Unless the United States acts more generously than England has done, by granting trade advantages without equivalent return, it is said that the demand for annexation will be made. Some of the leading men of Jamaica have no faith in the present negotiations, and with the fear of Cuba and Porto Rico before their eyes, they want the island to seek political union with the United States. They are not particular whether they are traded for one of the Philippines or for some other spot of land. Apparently Mr. Chamberlain has most at stake. While Jamaica got no substantial benefit for its ruined sugar industries in the way of countervailing duties, Mr. Chamberlain held out the hope of direct trade with Great Britain, which would insure a market for its fruits and other products. He had a carefully matured scheme by which trade was to be taken away from the New England capitalists who had invested their money and developed the fruit raising as well as the railroads. As the English fleet was to replace the American fruit fleet, which runs to New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore, Sir Henry Blake, the former Governor of the island presented to the London Chamber of Commerce its opportunities. Plans were really made by which English capital would drive out the American capital. They all came to nothing, and now their failure is admitted.

In order to secure a basis of reciprocity with the United States, the Colonial Legislature passed a retaliatory tariff bill. This was only done after strong protests and after the threat of the British Foreign Office to reduce Jamaica to the condition of a crown colony had been withdrawn and Sir Augustus Hemming, the present Governor-General, had given assurance that the liberties of the colony would not be interfered with. Nevertheless, the day after the passage of the tariff bill Sir Augustus Hemming and Joseph Chamberlain were burned in effigy. The feeling was that the course taken would cause irritation among the officials of the United States instead of securing the concessions which were wanted.

It can hardly be said that the administration is irritated. There is so little Jamaican trade that to show resentment would be absurd. However, no reason has been found why the United States should do more for Jamaica than the British Foreign Office is able to do, and though Mr. Chamberlain may be highly esteemed personally, he is not likely to receive much aid in his plan of pacifying Jamaica, through American privileges.

The American companies which have handled the Jamaica fruits in the markets of the United States have not complained of the tariff. They have done a satisfactory business without interfering with fruit growers at home. As for sugar, it is doubtful whether the United States could restore that industry in Jamaica by granting to it such reciprocity as may be ultimately granted to Cuba. The whole question of Jamaica reciprocity is a political rather than commercial one, and is of more concern in London than in Washington.

Naval Veteran Dead.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Lieutenant Commander Charles Atherton French, U. S. N., retired, is dead at his home in Brooklyn. He was born in Maine seventy-eight years ago, and entered the navy as a volunteer in 1863. He was in command of the gunboat Southfield when she was sunk by the Confederate ram Albemarle in April, 1864. He was later in command of the Miami and the Ino. He had been retired since the close of the war. His widow survives him.

Judge Grosscup Recovering.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 9.—A special to the Tribune from Ashland, Ohio, says:

Judge Grosscup has been steadily, although slowly, regaining his health. He is now able to sit up for short intervals, and is allowed to converse with visitors. His weight is considerably lessened, and he is yet very weak. His physician reports him improved today and out of danger.

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TREACHERY OF THE CUBANS.

Buy More Arms With Money Paid Them to Disarm.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The Rev. Alfred De Barritt, who four months ago founded the Congregational Church in the city of Havana, has returned to this country for aid in his religious and educational work in Cuba.

Dr. De Barritt spoke today about present conditions in Cuba and the possibility of an outbreak against the Americans.

"If this occurs," he said, "it will be the fault of the Americans. The Cubans are a peaceful people, but they are also proud and sensitive, and many things have been done recently to anger them.

"The Cubans feel that they are being treated very much as though they had been conquered by us. At any rate, the Washington authorities should do away with the present military government. It is worse than unnecessary; it is doing an immense deal of harm.

"A great many of the American officers don't like the Cubans, and don't scruple to let this be known. How can you expect the Cubans to like them? General Brooke and General Lee are liked and trusted, but their influence for good is nullified by the attitude of other officers.

"The payment of the Cuban troops and requiring them to lay down their arms was a mistake. The disarming was a great humiliation to the men, and the first thing a good many of them did with their $75 each was to buy new guns and machetes.

"There is as yet no distinct idea in the minds of the majority of people as to what they really want, whether annexation or independence. But they obtain their ideas of the United Government from the American officers, and these ideas are not favorable."

"THE TURTLE" A BRILLIANT FARCE.

"The Turtle," which will be seen at the Macdonough tomorrow night, has provoked a cyclone of critical discussion, and is today the most widely talked about play in America. It has been one of the unique dramatic successes of the New York season. In selecting it for the inauguration of their second season at the Manhattan Theater, New York, Messrs. Brady and Zeigfeld were actuate by a desire to keep pace with the times, and entertain their patrons with one of the most distanct of European novelties. It is doubtful if any announcement could possibly prove of greater interest to local theater goers than the definite assurance that arrangements have been perfected for the presentation in this city of this great novelty.

"The Turtle" is an adaption of Joseph W. Herbert of the French farce, "La Tortue," by Leon Gandillot, which ran for over two years in Paris. In reviewing the production at the Manhattan Theater, the New York Herald said:

"About three years ago—the Dreyfus affair had been shelved and forgotten with Gallic rapidity—all Paris was in an uproar over a new farce which was produced at the Theater des Nouveautes. 'You must go and see "La Tortue," people shouted as they passed along the boulevards. 'Don't fail to have a peep at the second act. It's the most audacious thing you've ever seen upon the stage.'

"The boulevardieres were right; but as performed at the Manhattan, with marvelous grace, tact and artistic dexterity, the scene was charming and poetical, not vulgar and sensational."

This strikes the keynote of the interpretation of this fantastic frivolity, given by Mr. Ziegfeld's admirably selected artists at the Manhattan. It is performed with subtlety and finesse by skilled players of individual distinction. It is mounted with a superb lavishness that borders upon prodigality. It is full of deft and dainty effects, adroit manipulation of lights, and the artistic atmosphere pervades it throughout.

The droll and fantastic complications of "The Turtle" are all the most mirth-provoking because the mistakes involving its personages are perfectly clean and apparent. Unlike many witty trifles transplanted from the French stage, it does not involve the theme of marital inconstancy. Its characters are proper people, and its events move along in logical sequence to delightfully absurd conclusions.

The first act developes a droll story; the second culminates with one of the most novel situations devised by a playwright; the third is uproariously funny. The comic interest throughout is steadily cumulative.

No better illustration of the brilliancy of the cast could be given than the list of players, which includes Isabelle Evesson, Jennie Reiffarth, Ada Deaves, Marion Ballou, Lillian Coleman, Signor Perugini, George Holland, Louis Imhaus, Hudson Liston, Ulric B. Collins and Ross O'Neal. The scenic environments will unquestionably prove the sensation of the year, being complete to the most minute detail.

THE DEWEY'S SUCCESS.

"The Cross Roads of Life" has proved one of the greatest successes in the Dewey's history. Large audiences have witnessed every performance, and no one has gone home disappointed. The play is a cleverly constructed one, the scenic effects are artistic and thrilling and the different roles are admirably rendered by the Dewey company.

Personal and Social

Dr. and Mrs. Bosworth Aiken leave today for the Sierra Nevada mountains, where they will visit at the Big Trees until the latter part of July.

Miss Ida Kellogg left today for a visit to relatives in Hayfork, Trinity county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Baumgartner and child have returned to Marysville.

Miss Blanche R. Lamont has been spending a few weeks in this city, the guest of Mrs. N. W. Hiestand.

Mrs. L. H. Briggs is at Donner, Placer county.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClure of Berkeley are camping in Placer county.

Mrs. Maurice Zucker and daughter are spending the summer in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Emil Nusbaumer is camping on Hazel creek, Shasta county. He will return the latter part of June.

Mrs. Butters will spend her vacation at Kennet, near Shasta.

W. C. Giles has gone to Forest Hill, Placer county.

Mrs. George Newman has gone on an extended visit to friends in Pueblo, Colorado.

Miss Jennie Dukelow was recently in Davisville, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Heule.

Warren B. English took a recent trip to Plymouth to visit his son, who is employed at the Huntington mills.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Laymance and Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hamilton of Pittsburg are spending ten days in the Yosemite.

Robert Potter has returned from Butte county.

Mrs. Adams and Miss Belle Gardiner are visiting their brother in Napa.

George H. Mason is spending a month camping with a party near Healdsburg.

R. J. McMullan was recently in Tulare.

E. T. Newcum is visiting in Jackson.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward von Adelung, Miss Mary Olney and Miss Ethel Olney have returned from the Yosemite.

E. Muldoon is in Jackson, the guest of his son, M. B. Muldoon.

Edwin Rust is spending a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rust of Jackson.

Mrs. L. Seip and Miss Nellie Seip are visiting at Rio Vista, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lauritzen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emigh have returned to Collinsville.

Mr. Fish of the National Insurance Co. was recently in Collinsville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whitney have been spending a week in Cordelia, the guest of Miss Mary Lynch.

S. J. Tuthill was recently in Sonora.

Mrs. R. W. Meadows has returned to Benicia after a visit to friends in this city.

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And they are not to be carried over. The decision to dispose of this great stock at retail at unheard-of figures may temporarily demoralize the retail clothing market and make things look blue for local retail dealers; it will make chuckles and smiles among all manner of men whose desire to dress well is larger than their bank account.

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